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Births.

DOLMAN—October 14, at her residence, Noumea Villa, London-street, Newtown, the wife of William Dolman, of a daughter.

FITZGERALD.—October 18, at her residence, Dubbo, the wife of Charles H. Fitzgerald, solicitor, of a daughter.

GOLDSMITH.—October 26, at her residence, Bull-and-Mouth Hotel, Cumberland-street, the wife of Edward Goldsmith, of a son.

LILLINGTON.—October 5, at her residence, Charles-street, Petersham, the wife of Charles Lillington, of a daughter.

M'ALPINE.—October 15, at her residence, Macdonald-town, the wife of M. M'Alpine, of a daughter.

Marriages.

LEE—KLIEN.—October 9, at St. Michael's Church, by the Rev. H. Smyth King, M.A., Thomas Lee, of Sydney, to Amelia Minnie, eldest daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Klien, of Parramatta.

MAWBY—BASSETT.—August 16, by the Rev. A. M. Jarvie, pastor of Scots' Church, Church-hill, Sydney, Edward Mawby, of London, to Elizabeth Bassett, of Plymouth.

Deaths.

DUGGAN.—October 21, at his son's residence, Bettington-street, Miller's Point, Mr. Joseph Duggan, a native of the county Limerick, Ireland, who departed this life at the age of 48 years. *Requiescat in pace.*

DUNN.—October 26, at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. Alexander Watt, Rouse Hotel, Hunter-street, Newcastle, Edward, the eldest beloved son of the late Mr. Michael Dunn, of Sydney, of consumption, aged 36 years, after a lingering illness, leaving a loving wife, widowed mother, and large circle of friends to lament their loss. *R. I. P.*

IRVINE.—August 28, 1878, at Oamaru, New Zealand, suddenly, Mr. John Irvine, late of the A. S. N. Company, leaving a widow and child, aged 37 years.

MARSHALL.—October 25, at his residence, 107, Botany-street, Surry Hills, Horatio Richard Marshall, aged 33 years, after a long and painful illness, leaving an affectionate loving wife, two sisters, and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss.

MORRIS.—October 25, at the residence of his Son-in-law, Mr. R. L. Dunn, 110, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo, Mr. Thomas Morris, aged 81 years, a native of the colony.

VANCE.—October 20, at her residence, No. 9, Regent-street, Margaret Vance, relict of the late William Vance, in the 63rd year of her age.

" She has left us all and gone before,
To regions far above the shore;
May God, in mercy, let it be.
That I, in heaven, her face shall see."

WILSON.—October 26, at her parents' residence, 183, Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo, Minnie Constance Clara, the infant daughter of William John and Annette Wilson, from exhaustion consequent upon diarrhœa, of a few hours' duration, aged 1½ months.

Shipping.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The Company's steamship
AVOCA,
1482 tons, 250 horse-power,
J. C. Almond, commander,
will leave SYDNEY for MELBOURNE, on WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at 1 p.m.
Passage money: Saloon, £4; Second-class, £2.
Cargo at local rates.
HENRY MOORE, Agent.
Moore's Wharf, October 24.

THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAM COMPANY (Limited).

The new and powerful steamers of this Company, under contract with the Queensland Government, carrying H.M.'s mails, will leave the Company's new jetty, Smith's Wharf, at noon on
TUESDAY, November 4th TUESDAY, December 2nd
TUESDAY, December 30th,
sailing at all Queensland ports en route to Singapore and Hong-kong.
The R.M.S. BOWEN, J. Miller, commander, is the steamer to leave on TUESDAY, November 4, at noon.
Passengers booked for Venice, Brindisi, and Southampton, and forwarded by the P. and O. steamers; or to Marseilles by the Messageries Maritime Co.
For all particulars apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., Agents.

PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO.
OVERLAND ROUTE TO GREAT BRITAIN THROUGH AMERICA.
Under contract with N. S. W. and N. Z. Governments,
AUSTRALIA,
3000 tons,
W. CARGILL, Commander,
will be dispatched
at 3 p.m., on THURSDAY, 6th November, carrying her Majesty's mails and passengers to Auckland, Honolulu, and San Francisco.
Drafts, payable in gold in San Francisco, issued by the undersigned.
Passengers booked from Sydney to Liverpool, London, or Paris, with special advantages.
Through rate from Sydney to Liverpool, first-class, £72.
For rates of passage and freight, and for all other information, apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO., Agents,
Gresham-street.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.
AUSTRALIA,
3000 tons, W. Cargill, commander,
will leave as above, on THURSDAY, 6th November, at 3 p.m.
Fares at current rates.
Passengers for Waiwera Hot Springs by P. M. Co.'s steamers forwarded free from Auckland to Waiwera.
For freight or passage apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.,
Gresham-street.

THE AUSTRALASIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS.

TO LEVUKA (FIJI).—Gunga, this afternoon, Monday, at 4.30.
TO MELBOURNE.—Katoomba, to-morrow afternoon, Tuesday, at 4.30.; and Wotonga, Saturday afternoon, at 1. (Fares and freights at current rates.)
TO NEWCASTLE (only).—Coonanbara, this morning, Monday, at 9.
TO NEWCASTLE, RAYMOND TERRACE, and MORPETH.—Coonanbara, to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11; and City of Brisbane, Wednesday night, at 11.
TO CLARENCE TOWN (for passengers and cargo).—Coonanbara, to-morrow night, Tuesday, at 11. (Freights payable in Sydney.)
TO BRISBANE.—Victoria, to-morrow, Tuesday, at 11 a.m., no cargo received after 10 a.m.; and Elamang, Friday afternoon, at 4.30.
TO BUNDABERG.—Steamer from Brisbane about 30th instant.
TO MARYBOROUGH.—Governor Blackall, Saturday, at noon.
TO ROCKHAMPTON.—Governor Blackall, Saturday, at noon.
TO GLADSTONE.—Steamer from Brisbane about 30th instant.
TO PORT MACKAY.—Yaralla, from Brisbane, about 4th of November.
TO BOWEN, TO TOWNSVILLE, TO CAIRNS (TRINITY BAY), TO PORT DOUGLAS (ISLAND POINT), TO COOKTOWN WHARF — Victoria, to-morrow, Tuesday, at 11 a.m. No cargo received after 10 a.m. Tuesday.
TO CARDWELL, TO KEPPEL BAY, TO FLAT-TOP ISLAND — Victoria, to-morrow, Tuesday, at 11 a.m. No cargo received after 10 a.m. Tuesday.
N.B.—Steerage passengers are supplied with bedding.
Cargo is now being received for transmission to any of the above ports.
FREDK. H. TROUTON, Manager.

THE CLARENCE AND RICHMOND RIVERS STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched from the Company's Wharf, Sussex-street, as follows, weather permitting:—

Ship.	Date of Sailing.
FOR GRAFTON, CLARENCE RIVER.	
QUEENSLAND	WEDNESDAY, 29th October.
FOR MACLEAY RIVER.	
PLATYPUS	TUESDAY, 28th October.
FOR RICHMOND RIVER	
PLATYPUS	TUESDAY, 28th October, taking cargo for all parts of the river.
FOR PORT MACQUARIE.	
QUEENSLAND	WEDNESDAY, 29th October.

Intending passengers are invited to inspect the superior accommodation afforded by this Company's steamers.
JOHN WHITE, Secretary.

STEAM to the CLARENCE RIVER, via NEWCASTLE.—The s.s. ARGYLE, unavoidably detained, will leave the Commercial Wharf, foot of King-street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 6 p.m., for Grafton, calling at all wharfs. Fare—Saloon, £2; £1 5s. Freight, 10s per ton dead weight.
S. G. DAVISON, 38, Sussex-street.

HUNTER RIVER N. S. N. CO.
STEAM TO NEWCASTLE, MORPETH, RAYMOND TERRACE, &c.
FROM SYDNEY:
THIS (Monday) NIGHT, at 11, the MAITLAND.
On WEDNESDAY MORNING at 9, the MORPETH.
Fares from Sydney to Newcastle, or vice versa—Saloon, 10s; steerage, 4s each; enclosed berths, or berths in special saloon, 2s 6d each extra.
Goods will not be received after 5 p.m.
F. J. THOMAS, Manager.
Offices, foot of Market-street.

NEWCASTLE STEAMSHIP COMPANY (Limited).
STEAM TO NEWCASTLE,
FROM LIME-STREET WHARF, FOOT OF ERSKINE-STREET.
THIS MORNING (MONDAY), at 9, the KEMBLA.
THIS NIGHT (MONDAY), at 11, the COLLAROY.
TO-MORROW MORNING (TUESDAY), at 9, the KEMBLA.
CARGO RECEIVED for TEA GARDENS, MYALL CREEK, BOORAL WHARF, STROUD, and BARRINGTON, this day, Monday, to be forwarded on by the AGNES, leaving NEWCASTLE TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) MORNING.
The steamers KEMBLA or COLLAROY leave SYDNEY and NEWCASTLE EVERY NIGHT, except Saturday from Newcastle and Sunday from Sydney, and make DAY TRIPS from Newcastle on TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY MORNING, and from Sydney on MONDAY, TUESDAY, and THURSDAY MORNING.
Fares to and from Newcastle—Saloon, 10s; steerage, 4s; 2s 6d extra in Kembla's deck state-rooms.
H. D. PORTUS, Manager.
NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.—On and after THIS DATE the MORNING BOATS will leave SYDNEY at 9 in place of 9.30.

STEAM TO MACLEAY RIVER.—The steamer MARY COCHRANE will be dispatched from Caledonian Wharf, King-street, on TUESDAY next, at 4 p.m.
P. HOGAN, Agent.

ILLAWARRA S. N. CO.'S STEAMERS.—TO WOLLONGONG.—To-night, to-morrow night, at 11; Wednesday, 9.30 a.m.
KIAMA.—To-night, to-morrow night, 11.
SHOALHAVEN.—To-morrow, 11 p.m.
MERIMBULA and EDEN.—Wednesday, 9.30 a.m.
TATHRA (for BEGA).—Wednesday, 9.30 a.m., and Friday, 11 p.m.
ULLADULLA.—Friday, 9.30 a.m.
BATEMAN'S BAY and NELLIGEN.—Friday, 9.30 a.m.
MORUYA.—Friday, 11 p.m.

HUNTER'S HILL and LANE COVE FERRY.—Steamer WOMERAH leaves—
Lime-street Wharf, 9, 11, 1, 3, 5.5, 7
Lane Cove, 8, 10, 12, 2, 4, 6.
SATURDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 1.15 and 11.15 p.m.
Lane Cove, 10 p.m.
SUNDAY—Lime-street Wharf, 10, 2.30, 6.
Lane Cove, 9, 1, 5.

PARRAMATTA STEAMERS FROM KING-STREET.
TO COCKATOO, HUNTER'S HILL, and GLADESVILLE—7, 9, 10, 11 a.m.; 12.30, 1, 3, 3.45, 4.15, 5, 6.15, 7, 9.30, 11.15.
FIVE DOCK and BURWOOD—7, 10 a.m. 12.30, 4.15, 6.15
PARRAMATTA and all Wharfs—7, 9, 11; 1, 3, 5.
RETURNING—
FROM PARRAMATTA—7, 9, 11 a.m.; 1, 3, 5 p.m.
FROM FIVE DOCK—7.44, 8.30, 11 a.m.; 2.45, 5.5, 7.5 p.m.
GLADESVILLE—8, 8.40, 10, 11.10, 12; 2, 3, 4, 5.15, 5.40, 6, 7.15, 8.30.
FROM HUNTER'S HILL—7.15, 8.15, 9, 10.15, 11.25, 12.15 a.m.; 2.15, 3.15, 4.15, 5.35, 6.15, 7.30, 8.45 p.m.

BRISBANE WATER.—PELICAN (s.), from King-street, To-morrow, and every Tuesday, 7.30 a.m.

STEAM TO HAWKESBURY RIVER.
PERSONS desiring to see the BEAUTIES OF THIS RIVER, will have an opportunity of doing so TO-MORROW, (Tuesday) by the
PELICAN,
leaving King-street at 7.30 a.m., and joining the Florrie at Barrenjuee.
Or, by Manly steamer from Circular Quay at 7.15, and overland to Pitt-water, if previously booked.
The Steamer FLORRIE will proceed to WISEMAN'S-FERRY, fifty miles up the river, where good Hotel accommodation can be had.
On WEDNESDAY she will proceed on TOWARDS WINDSOR for a considerable distance, and then return to Pittwater in time to take coach to catch last Manly steamer.
Fares—20s return; coach, 4s each way.
C. E. JEANNERET,
King-street Wharf.
N.B.—Passengers overland must book before 5 p.m. to-day, at P. R. S. Wharf, King-street.

NEW MANNING RIVER S.N. CO.'S s. s. BEAGLE, Captain RENDELL, will leave Caledonian Wharf, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 7, carrying freight and passengers to all parts of the Manning River, weather permitting. Cargo now received.
JOHN RITCHIE, Agent.

MANNING RIVER STEAM N. COMPANY (Limited).
The s.s. DIAMANTINA will leave for TAREE, Manning River, direct from Lime-street Wharf, foot of Erskine-street, on WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, at 5 (weather permitting).
All freight payable in Sydney.
H. D. PORTUS, Agent.

RICHMOND RIVER LINE OF STEAMSHIPS.
STEAM TO RICHMOND RIVER.
The new regular trading steamship
TRUGANINI, 300 tons,
will leave direct for the Richmond River, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 6 p.m.
Cargo now received. Passengers are invited to inspect the saloon accommodation.
G. and B. NICOLL, Grafton Wharf.

STEAM to MELBOURNE, NEWCASTLE, BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, and ROCKHAMPTON.
The undersigned will dispatch the STEAMSHIPS (when practicable) as follows, from STRUTH'S WHARF, foot of King-street:—

FOR MELBOURNE.		
RODONDO	J. R. Clark	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock
CHEVIOT	Chas. Ashford	FRIDAY, October 31.
BARRABOOL	F. H. Stanford	TUESDAY, November 4.
FOR BRISBANE.		
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 4 o'clock.
FOR MARYBOROUGH:		
DERWENT	H. B. Bristow	TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 4 o'clock.
FOR ROCKHAMPTON:		
KEILAWARRA	J. H. South	TUESDAY, November 4.

Return tickets issued to and from ALL PORTS, available for three (3) months. Cargo received for the above ports every day. Steerage passengers supplied with bedding.
W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS,
Struth's Wharf.

STEAM TO MELBOURNE.
The undersigned will dispatch the steamship
RODONDO, 1000 tons,
J. R. Clark, commander,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 12 o'clock.
For all particulars apply to
W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, STRUTH'S WHARF.

STEAM TO BRISBANE and MARYBOROUGH.
The undersigned will dispatch the steamship
DERWENT,
H. B. Bristow, commander,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 4 o'clock.
For all particulars, apply to
W. HOWARD SMITH and SONS, STRUTH'S WHARF.

STEAM TO ADELAIDE, VIA MELBOURNE.
The N. I. S. N. Co.'s superior Mail Steamship
ATJEH,
1509 tons register,
Captain E. C. WESSELS,
will be dispatched from Sydney early on SATURDAY, the 1st November, in order to reach Melbourne before the CUP DAY.
Through passengers will be provided for on board during their stay in Melbourne free.
For rates of passage and freight, and all other information, apply to
ELDRED and CO.,
Managing Agents,
62, Margaret-street.

PORT ADELAIDE, VIA MELBOURNE, carrying passengers and cargo FOR BOTH PORTS at lowest current rates.
Saloon to Melbourne Wharf £3
The Euro Steamship Company's Line.
SALOON STEAMSHIP EMU, 634 tons,
R. W. OSBORNE, Commander.
This new and beautiful steamship, built expressly for the Euro Steamship Company of Port Adelaide, will be dispatched from the GRAFTON WHARF
on THURSDAY, the 30th OCTOBER,
calling and remaining at Melbourne to allow passengers to be present on the "CUP DAY," leaving there 8th November, passengers TO ADELAIDE having the privilege of remaining on board during her stay in port.
The accommodation, table, and attendance (both in saloon and fore cabin) are equal to that of any steamer on the coast.
Has a ladies' saloon, and carries a stewardess.
Plan of cabins can be inspected at office.
BEILBY and CO., Agents.

TASMANIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMSHIPS will be dispatched as under:
FOR HOBART TOWN, via EDEN.—S. S. TASMAN, 720 tons, from Grafton Wharf, on TUESDAY, 28th October, at 11 a.m.
FOR LAUNCESTON.—S.S. ESK, 840 tons register, from Grafton Wharf, TUESDAY, 4th November, at 4 p.m.
NO CARGO received within one hour of the advertised time of sailing.
For freight or passage apply
T. and W. WILLIS, Agents, 48, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO AUCKLAND.
The favourite steamship
HERO,
Thomas Logan, commander,
will leave the GRAFTON WHARF, for Auckland, on
TUESDAY, the 28th October.
For freight or passage, apply to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO.,
52, Pitt-street.

UNION STEAMSHIP COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND (Limited).
Fortnightly communication to all NEW ZEALAND PORTS.

Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	Date of Sailing.
WAKATIPU	1796	E. Wheeler	October 29, via Wellington.
ROTORUA	925	T. Tozer	November 8, via Auckland.
FROM MELBOURNE:			
TARARUA	823	H. Muir	October 28, via Hobart Town.

FREDK. W. JACKSON, 44, Pitt-street.

STEAM TO WELLINGTON AND ALL NEW ZEALAND PORTS.
The Union Company's powerful steamship
WAKATIPU,
1796 tons, E. Wheeler, commander,
will be dispatched, as above, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 29th October, booking passengers and cargo for all ports.
Passengers for Hokitika, Westport, and Greymouth booked at through rates.
Shipping orders must be obtained for all cargo.
FREDK. W. JACKSON, 44, Pitt-street.

MANLY BEACH STEAMERS daily (Saturday and Sundays excepted).
Dispatched from Sydney, 7.15, 10.15, 11.30, 2.15, 4.45, 6
Woolloomooloo, 10.30, 11.45, 2.30
Manly, 8.10, 9, 12, 3.30, 5, 5.30.
Return fares, 1s 6d; children, 1s.
Extra trips on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, from Manly, at 8.30 p.m.; and Sydney at 11.15 p.m.

MESSRS. MONEY WIGRAM and SON'S LINE OF STEAMERS FOR LONDON,
VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.
The magnificent steamships, belonging to the above line, will be dispatched for London, via the Suez Canal, as follows:—

Steamer.	From Sydney.	From Melbourne.
NORTHUMBERLAND	14th November.	22nd November.
NORFOLK (new)	January.	January.
KENT	February.	February.

PASSAGE RATES.—Saloon, 55 to 70 guineas; INTERMEDIATE, £16 and upwards. Special arrangements for families. CANAL DUES, 8s per adult extra. A duly qualified SURGEON carried. RETURN TICKETS issued at reduced rates. PASSAGE ORDERS issued to persons desirous of sending for their friends from home. For rates of freight and passage money, plans of cabin, &c., apply to W. SIDDELEY and CO.; or M. METCALFE and CO., Agents, 9, Bridge-street.

MESSRS. MONEY WIGRAM and SON'S LINE OF STEAMSHIPS.
STEAM TO LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
FOR THE FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
The magnificent steamship NORTHUMBERLAND, 2180 tons register, 500 horse-power, J. Cumming, commander, will be dispatched from Sydney, calling at Melbourne, positively on
FRIDAY, 14th November.
For rates of freight and passage apply to W. SIDDELEY and CO., and M. METCALFE and CO., 9, Bridge-street.
WOOL received at Flood's.

ORIENT LINE OF STEAMSHIPS FOR LONDON,
VIA THE SUEZ CANAL,
calling at NAPLES to land Passengers.
The full-powered steamships of this line are built and fitted expressly for carrying Passengers on long ocean voyages; they are each of about 4000 tons register, and make the voyage in about 40 days. They are fitted with punkahs, attached to the main engines, and steam-heating apparatus on the most approved principle, and they are thoroughly ventilated for the tropics.
The next departures will be:—

Steamer.	From Sydney.	From Melbourne.
CHIMBORAZO	October 31.	November 8.
SULTAN	November 15.	November 22.
CUZCO	November 28.	December 6.

To be followed every month by a similar steamer.
The steam launch Agenoria will leave the Circular Quay daily at 3 and 4 o'clock from the 25th till the 29th instant, to convey intending passengers to and from the Chimborazo free of charge, passes for which can be obtained from the agents.
FARES TO LONDON, £16 and upwards.
Suez Canal dues, 8s in addition.
Passages from London can be granted in Sydney.
For further particulars, apply, in London, to F. Green and Co., and Anderson, Anderson, and Co., Managers of the Orient Steam Navigation Company (Limited); or to the Agents in Sydney.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.

ORIENT LINE OF STEAMERS.
FOR LONDON, via the Suez Canal.
FOR THE FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
THE S. S. SULTAN,
2500 Tons Register. W. J. HYNES, Commander,
will leave Sydney on SATURDAY, the 15th November, calling at Melbourne.
For freight, &c., apply to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED at MARSDEN and SON'S.

FOR LONDON.
FOR THE FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
Messrs. Devitt and Moore's favourite clipper ship
HAWKESBURY,
1120 tons register, D. B. Carvosso, commander,
will be dispatched in all October, for the above sales.
For freight or passage, apply on board, at Circular Quay, to Captain Carvosso; or to
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Wool received at Marsden and Sons.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE, for LONDON.—
The SAMUEL PLIMSOLL,
1444 tons register,
Richard Boaden, commander.
This vessel is now RECEIVING WOOL, and having LARGE ENGAGEMENTS will be one of the FIRST VESSELS dispatched for the FEBRUARY SALES.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board; or, to
MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and CO.
Wool received at TALBOT'S.

FOR LONDON.
WITH EARLY DISPATCH.
The well-known magnificent ship
BEN LEDI, 995 tons register,
AA1 at Lloyd's,
John Boyd, Esq., commander,
Having large general engagements, will be promptly dispatched with the new season's wools.
For rates, &c., apply to
MASON BROTHERS,
14, Spring-street.
WOOL received at TALBOT'S.

FOR LONDON.
POSITIVELY FIRST SHIP FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
The A1 clipper ship
CAMBRIAN PRINCESS,
1350 tons register,
James M'Gill, commander.
This fine vessel, having the whole of her dead weight on board, and with large wool engagements, will be dispatched this month.
For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board, at Circular Quay; or to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED at FLOOD and CO.'S.

FOR LONDON.
The A1 Clipper Ship
NORTHBROOK,
Henry Peirce, commander,
now ready to receive wool, will have early dispatch.
For freight or passage, having magnificent saloon accommodation, apply to
JOHN FRAZER and CO.
WOOL RECEIVED AT FLOOD and CO.'S.

FOR LONDON.
The fine A1 clipper ship
CORONA,
1210 tons register,
J. D. Barrett, commander,
will be dispatched early in DECEMBER.
Intending passengers are respectfully requested to inspect the magnificent passenger accommodation afforded by this vessel.
Has a splendid state cabin for a family.
Fares at reduced rates, and FIRST-CLASS passengers only carried.
For freights, passage, and all particulars, apply to Captain Barrett, on board; or to
BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO.,
52, Pitt-street.
Wool received at MARSDEN'S Stores.

FOR LONDON.
The beautiful clipper barque,
WINDERMERE,
1192 tons register, built in 1878, and classed 100 A1 at Lloyd's,
W. TICKLE, Commander.
This fine vessel has just arrived from London in seventy-eight days, and will be dispatched with the first of the new clip, for which she offers unusual advantages, the whole of her dead weight and a portion of her wool being already on board.
For rates of freight, apply to
YOUNG and LARK, Agents,
Moore-street, off Pitt-street.
Wool received at Flood's.

ABERDEEN CLIPPER LINE.—For LONDON, the champion tea clipper
THERMOPYLÆ,
948 tons,
C. Matheson, commander,
is now loading, and, having the bulk of her cargo stowed, will be dispatched within a few days for February wool sales.
To be followed by the new clipper SMYRNA.
For freight, apply to
DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and CO.
Wool received at the Stores, Cosmopolitan Wharf.

FOR LONDON
FIRST SHIP FOR FEBRUARY WOOL SALES.
The magnificent new clipper ship
CIMBA,
1117 tons register,
John Fimister, commander,
having the bulk of her wool on board, and requiring only a limited number of bales to complete her loading, will be dispatched in a few days.
For terms, &c., apply to the Captain on board; or to
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO.
Wool received at Flood and Co.'s.

FOR ADELAIDE.—Brig ARGOS, for light freight and powder. Apply on Board, at Market Wharf; or to
NIPPER and SEE,
123, Sussex-street.

ELLEN, for TATHRA, on WEDNESDAY. Freights payable to H. CLARKE, Victoria Wharf.

FOR NAMBUCCRA RIVER.—Schooner ELIZA ALLEN, THIS DAY, from Fagan's Wharf.
P. HOGAN, Agent.
Cargo now received.

AUSTRALIAN WHARF.
THE SHIPS DUKE OF ABERCORN and DUCHESS OF ARGYLE are now fast discharging at Australian Wharf. Consignees are requested to take immediate delivery of shipments. Any goods remaining on the wharf forty-eight hours after discharge will be warehoused at consignees' risk and expense.
JOHN FRAZER and CO., Agents.

P. M. S. S. CITY OF NEW YORK, from San Francisco.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES for A. S. Co.'s Wharf. All goods impeding the discharge will be landed and stored at consignees' risk and expense. The Company will not be responsible for loss of, or damage to, cargo, after it has been landed. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained at the office of the undersigned before any goods will be delivered.
R. TOWNS and CO.,
General Agents P. M. S. S. Co.

P. M. S. S. COMPANY'S Steamer CITY OF NEW YORK.—The Captain will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by the Crew, without his written authority.
R. TOWNS and CO., Agents.

BARQUE CYNOSURE, from Liverpool.—Consignees are requested to pass ENTRIES at once. The ship will not be responsible for damage to, or loss of, cargo, after the same has been landed. All goods impeding the discharge will be entered, landed, and stored at consignees' risk and expense. Bills of lading must be produced, freight paid, and delivery orders obtained at the office of the undersigned before any goods can leave the wharf.
DANGAR, GEDYE, and CO., Agents.
Captain RICHARDS will not be responsible for any DEBTS contracted by his Crew, without his written authority.

NOTICE.
NORTH SHORE STEAM COMPANY (LIMITED).
On and after 1st NOVEMBER the present route will be DISCONTINUED and the following substituted, viz.:—From Lavender Bay to Circular Quay via M'Mahon's Wharf, and from THE OLD Milson's Point Wharf to Circular Quay.
Milson's Point, 23rd October, 1879.

HARBOUR EXCURSIONS.—Steamers for HIRE, Quandong, licensed to carry 500 passengers; also several small steamers.
Dry Dock-Ramp, Erskine-street.

S. S. NORTHUMBERLAND, from LONDON.
CONSIGNEES are informed that this steamship's manifest will be reported at the Customs, on MONDAY MORNING, and to pass entries for the A. S. N. Co.'s Wharf. Any goods impeding the discharge will be entered landed and stored at consignee's risk and expense. Bills of lading must be produced and freight paid when delivery orders can be obtained. The ship will not be responsible for any loss or damage to cargo after being landed.
W. SIDDELEY and CO., and M. METCALFE and CO., Agents.

FREIGHT.—TENDERS wanted for delivery of 500 tons Coal from Co-operative Colliery, Wallsend to Rockhampton. Apply to A. H. MAXWELL, Circular Quay Bond, for further information.

FREIGHT to TOWNSVILLE.—Wanted, one or more VESSELS, for conveyance of 100 tons.
ALFRED LAMB and CO.

BOAT for SALE, light pulling skiff. Apply W. MILLER, Double Bay.

FOR SALE, clipper schooner ISABELLE, 129 tons reg., well found. E. LOWTHER, Wallace-street, Woollahra.

FOR SALE, first-class Schnapper BOAT, spars, sails, gear, &c. Apply Bald Rock Hotel, Balmain.

QUAY BERTHS vacant.—First-class Wharfage and Storage Accommodation. G. F. MASON, Patent Slip Wharf.

TO CAPTAINS, SEAMEN, and others.—Study Health, and take STEANE'S AROMATIC TONIC BITTERS.

ROW'S EMBROCATION, or FARMER'S FRIEND, is famous for curing sprains, rheumatism, &c. Bottles, 3s 6d.

JOSEPHSON'S AUSTRALIAN OINTMENT is of a pale green colour: cures all sores. Pots, 1s and 1s 6d.

USE the BONANZA for washing the hands; it makes them soft and white. Sold all chemists.

Meetings.

Y. M. C. A. LITERARY SOCIETY. On THIS (Monday) EVENING, at a quarter to 8 o'clock.
Business: Debate, subject—
"From which we derive the greatest pleasure, hope or memory?"
All members of the association cordially invited.
D. L. WAUGH, Hon. Sec.

ANGLO-ISRAEL ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—The usual Monthly MEETING ordered for THIS EVENING is POSTPONED for a few days, owing to the unavoidable occupation of the Association's rooms. The earliest notice of the day of meeting will be advertised.
PERCY E. WILLIAMS, Hon. Secretary.

EASTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.
The usual Monthly MEETING will be held in the Schoolroom, Point Piper Road, on
TUESDAY, 28th October,
when prizes will be awarded for the best collections of 24 and 12 cut roses, 12 cut pelargoniums (not more than 3 trusses of each variety), and for best collection of pot-grown calceolarias.
J. M. COMBES, Hon. Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODDFELLOWS, WOOLLAHRA BRANCH.—A MEETING will be held at Mr. J. Giffin's, Paddington Inn, Paddington, THIS (Monday) EVENING, October 27, at 8. Persons can enrol their names at half fees, at Mr. Walsh's, Queen-street, Woollahra; or at Mr. Mallon's, opposite the Barracks, Paddington. W. WILKES, Sec.

MASONIC LODGE, Woolloomooloo, No. 4, N. S. W. C.—Regular Monthly MEETING, THIS EVENING, at 7.30, at Masonic Temple, Clarence-street.
T. A. JENKS, Secretary.

NO. 1, GRAND DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE.—Fourteenth Annual SESSION will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, THIS (Monday) EVENING, 27th instant, commencing at half-past 7 sharp.
Representatives must produce their credentials, otherwise they will not be allowed to take any part in the proceedings.
By order of the G.W.P.,
C. T. PEIRCE, G.S.
It is proposed to adjourn at 9 o'clock, to a Tea, on the invitation of Bro. D. M'Beath, J.P., at which also the Officers and Members of No. 9, G. D., have been invited to attend.

NO. 228, CHAMBRE ROYAL BLACK PRECEPTORY MEETS THIS EVENING, in Protestant Hall, at 8 o'clock sharp.
By order of W. M.

ANIMALS' PROTECTION SOCIETY.
The Sixth Annual General MEETING of the above Society will be held in the Agricultural Society's Room, 227, George-street, on MONDAY, 27th October instant, to receive Report of the Committee for the past year. All persons interested in the welfare of the Society are invited to attend.
The chair will be taken by Sir A. STEPHEN, C.B., K.C.M.G., at 4 p.m.
CHAS. H. MYLES, Hon. Secretary.

BRUNSWICK CLUB.—A Special General MEETING will be held THIS EVENING, the 27th instant, at half-past 7 o'clock p.m.
T. C. BINNY, Hon. Sec.

CABMEN'S UNION.—Notice to Cab Proprietors and Drivers.—A monster MEETING will take place at the Guild Hall, on MONDAY AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock. JOHN FLYNN, President; JOHN DOWNEY, Secretary.

WORKING MEN'S DEFENCE.—A MEETING, To-night, Bathurst-st. Column. Trades Unions & Strikes.

HARBOUR AND RIVER STEAMBOAT PROPRIETORS' PICNIC.—A MEETING will be held at the Paragon Hotel, Circular Quay, THIS DAY, the 27th instant, at 3 p.m. Full attendance requested.

SCHOOL OF ARTS DEBATING CLUB.—Subject for discussion, THIS (Monday) EVENING:—"That the caucus system is subversive of true Parliamentary Government."
ERNEST B. TAYLOR, Hon. Sec.

WARATAH COAL COMPANY.
Incorporated by Act of Parliament.
NOTICE is hereby given that the thirty-second Half-yearly General MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Exchange-corner, Bridge-street, Sydney, on MONDAY, 27th October current, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report for the half-year ending 30th September last; of electing a Director in the room of Samuel Dickinson, Esq., who retires by rotation, but is eligible for re-election; an Auditor in the room of C. D. Smith, Esq., who retires by rotation, and is also eligible for re-election; and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting in accordance with the provisions of the Company's Act of Incorporation.
By order of the Board,
WM. CLARK, Secretary.
Sydney, 13th October, 1879.

USE the BONANZA for cleansing the teeth; it removes the tartar and strengthens the gums. Sold all chemists.

Religious Announcements.

CROYDON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—A Social MEETING will be held in the Church, on TUESDAY EVENING, October 28th, to welcome the Rev. WALTER MATHISON, as Minister of the Church. Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Committee. Afterwards, a Public Meeting will be held, the Rev. J. P. Sunderland in the chair, when addresses will be delivered by several ministers and gentlemen.

ST. Andrew's Cathedral.—The Lord Bishop of Ballarat will address C. of E. S. School Teachers. This Evening, at 8.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.
ALL GOODS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.
A great social as well as a commercial change, the influence of which on household economy it is idle to attempt to gainsay. This system of prompt ready-money payments, so successfully inaugurated here by Messrs. Farmer and Company, has long since made itself felt throughout the United Kingdom, and with extraordinary force in the great metropolis. It has needed no advocacy there, the disposition to take advantage of its benefits pervading each and every class. Ladies of rank and others of high social standing have vied to patronise it (not that it needed patronage); the middle classes have hailed its advent gladly, while to the very considerable number of families with but small fixed incomes it has proved an incalculable boon.
Hitherto in Sydney there has been abundant opportunity to purchase drapery goods of a certain character at prompt net cash prices, but only of late has the opportunity been extended to really first-class articles. Already it is surprising to notice the eagerness with which the Sydney public has accepted the change. The advantages the new system offers can at any time be demonstrated by paying a visit to Victoria House. In the prices in each department is the change apparent, causing many, at first disposed to view it with no great favour, quickly to alter their opinions, and agree to accept the benefits it is ready to confer.
Victoria House, August 23 1879.

RILEY, BROTHERS', NEW SHOP,
401, George-street,
near King-street.
The CORRECT PLACE to buy a
GENT.'S SILK UMBRELLA, CHEAP,
and a large variety to chose from.
LOOK IN THE WINDOW.
RILEY, BROTHERS,
George-street, near King-street.

CIRCULAR.
To the Medical Profession and Invalids.
SENIOR'S DISPENSING ESTABLISHMENT,
admitted the oldest, largest, and most perfect in the Southern hemisphere, receives the strictest personal attention of the proprietor, and the largest staff of old and competent assistants in Australia, is replete with drugs of undoubted purity and excellence, and is conducted under a peculiar system, whereby a mistake in dispensing a prescription becomes almost an impossibility.
252, George-street.

SCHWEPPE'S GINGER ALE, A DELICIOUS BEVERAGE.
SCHWEPPE'S CARBONATED LEMONADE.
SCHWEPPE'S SODA, SELTZER, TONIC, POTASS WATERS.
SOLD by HOTELKEEPERS, WINE MERCHANTS, CHEMISTS, also,
ON BOARD the PENINSULA and ORIENTAL, EASTERN and AUSTRALIAN. W. Howard Smith and Sons
ORIENT PACIFIC MAIL STEAMERS, and at
SCHWEPPE'S PAVILION and FLORAL CAFE, INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
EVERY BOTTLE PROTECTED BY LABEL over the cork with trade mark a fountain.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
EXCURSION to the seaside, MANLY BEACH, 7 times a day, per drawing saloon steamer Fairlight, and Royal Alfred.
Return daily fares, 1s 6d.
Saturday and Sunday, 1s.

Personal.

COMEDIE FRANCAISE.

PETER 'POSSUM.

IF the Party who picked up the EARRING in George-street, on Saturday evening, will return same to Robert J. Griffiths, 4, Parramatta-street, they will be rewarded.

IF EDWARD TURNER does not call for his THINGS, No. 5, Ulster-terrace, Station-street, Newtown, they will be sold to defray expenses.

MR. JAMES CAPPER, Surveyor, Bombala, kindly send your address to J. Murray-White, solicitor, Coonamble.

MR. JOHN REDMAN, late of Orange, will oblige by address to W. F. Brennan, solicitor, 84, King-street; urgent.

MR. DAVID JONES, from Bathurst, please call at 84, King-street.

MR. GEORGE MACKENZIE, from Orange, please call at 84, King-street.

Lost and Found.

CAUTION TO PAWNKEEPERS and others.—LOST, on Thursday last, Gold LOCKET and CHAIN, ruby and pearl in centre of locket, supposed to have lost it between Redfern and George-street, Haymarket. One pound reward on delivery to Mr. CRUMMY, British Hotel, corner of Hay and Dixon streets, Darling Harbour.

LOST, in George, Hunter, or Macquarie streets, Gold Pencil CASE. Return to porter, Union Club. Reward.

LOST, small White POODLE, from Pitt-street North. Reward DYER, Grocer, 143, Lower George-street.

LOST, half-hoop Diamond RING. Reward. Central Loan Office, 192, Castlereagh-street.

LOST, on Saturday, Dress RING, 5 pearls. Handsome reward. W. H. Higgs, Reiby-street, Enmore.

LOST, black and tan English Terrier DOG, answers to Prinny. Reward at GIBSON'S, 282, Pitt-street.

LOST, a Waterman's SKIFF, named Rover. Reward given on return to William Terrow, New Wharf.

LOST, an Operculum EARRING, on Sunday morning. Reward, Currency Lass, Pitt and Hunter streets.

LOST, on Saturday night, Saving Bank PASS BOOK. A. L. Wakefield, Exchange Hotel, Pitt-street.

LOST, a pair of SPECTACLES, from King-street to St. Mary's. Reward at 134, King-street.

LOST, small liver and white Spaniel DOG PUP, short tail. Reward. T. CADELL, jun., Wotonga, North Shore.

LARGE brindle Kangaroo DOG strayed from Exhibition grounds, Thursday. Reward. Mr. DAWSON, Agricultural Hall.

LOST, in Darlinghurst 'bus, Friday afternoon, a PURSE, containing £8 in gold, also some silver. Reward. 353, Kidman-terrace, Bourke-street, Darlinghurst.

ONE POUND REWARD.—LOST, near Redmyre, Bankstown, chestnut HORSE, branded MC near shoulder. Person finding same return Chinese Gardens, Bankstown. ON CHONG, 205, George-street.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Strayed from Newtown, a Bay HORSE, branded EM on near shoulder. Anyone taking him to Mr. J. COLE, Grocer, Enmore, will receive the above reward.

ONE POUND REWARD.—Strayed from my premises, Ashfield, on Saturday, October 18, a Bay MARE, branded JDL near shoulder, three white feet, white down face, navel lump under belly. Any person detaining her after this notice will be prosecuted.
JAMES GIBBS.

RETRIEVER DOG LOST. Reward. H. F. FRANCIS, 71, Pitt-street.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, Bay MARE, branded C on back, Thursday night. E. FULLER, Forest street, Forest Lodge.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—Lost, in or near Crown-street, Surry Hills, Gold BROOCH, likeness at back. Please return to cottage, corner of Liverpool and Riley streets.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, a Grey MARE, no shoes on, branded 3 over M near shoulder, E M on ribs. ELLEN DOYLE, Camden-street, Enmore.

TWO POUNDS REWARD.—ESCAPED, a Black and Tan COLLIE (female). Above reward on returning to 17, Elizabeth-terrace, William-street North, Woolloomooloo.

TWENTY SHILLINGS REWARD.—LOST, small open-face silver Geneva WATCH, No. 1301, not very valuable, a family relic, in George-street, near Railway Station. Apply to WENBORN, Jeweller, 781, George-street.

FOUND, large black Newfoundland DOG. Owner may have it by paying expenses. Apply 459, Pitt-street.

FOUND, a BANDBOX, containing five new felt hats, down the passage next to Prince, Ogg, and Co.'s, about 9 or 10 o'clock on Thursday night. The owner can have them by giving the description and paying expenses. 368, George-street.

Business Announcements.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.—We hereby notify that we have this day again ENTERED into PARTNERSHIP in the business of Merchants and Importers at Melbourne, Sydney, Adelaide, and London. The business will be carried on under the style or firm of "Virgoe, Son, and Chapman."
Dated this fourth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.
W. R. VIRGOE.
STANFORD CHAPMAN.
Witness—H. J. FARMER, Solicitor, Melbourne.

NOTICE.—The Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, as Solicitors, under the firm of CHAMBERS and LAWRENCE, has been dissolved by mutual consent.
Mr. CHAMBERS will continue practice as heretofore, at the offices hitherto occupied by the late firm, in Swan's-buildings, corner of Hunter and Bligh streets, Sydney.
Dated this 24th October, 1879.
HUGH J. CHAMBERS.
GEO. M. LAWRENCE.

W. G. HIBBLE, House Decorator, begs to inform his friends that he has OPENED BUSINESS PREMISES at 113, King-street, Sydney, and will be glad to furnish them with designs or estimates for Painting, Sign Writing, Gilding, and General House Decorating.
W. G. HIBBLE,
Decorator,
113, King-street, Sydney.

WILLIAM WOOD and CO., Albert-street Works, Burslem, Staffordshire,
Invite attention to the excellent show of their new designs of Biscuit, Cruet, Marmalade, Sardine, Stands, and other specialities; also their fine assortment of Door, Plate, and Knob Furniture. Exhibit to be found in British Court, Pottery Section. For particulars apply F. J. WELLS, Garden Palace.

I, THE undersigned, trading under the name of LONGRIGG and CO., have this day, disposed of my grocery business, situated at Glebe and Cowper streets, to JOSEPH BLYTH COOK and GEORGE COOPER, who will discharge all debts, and receive all outstanding accounts as under agreement for same.
October 22, 1879.
MARGARET E. LONGBIGG.
Witness:—JOHN REILLY, Sen., Glebe-street, Glebe.

I, CHARLES C. RUSH, wish to notify to my friends, and customers that I have Sold my General Drapery BUSINESS, hitherto carried on by me at No. 239, Pitt-street, Sydney, to Mr. W. W. Cater.
The premises are consequently closed for taking stock.

Educational.

A YOUNG Lady wishes to meet with Music PUPILS in Burwood or Ashfield. E. E., Post-office, Croydon.

A LADY, experienced in tuition, desires to open a SCHOOL in any neighbourhood where there is an opening. Address Clericus, Post-office, Croydon.

CIVIL Service Exam.—Passed: Royer, Sharpe, Kenyon, Commercial and ladies' classes. Hall, medallist, 728, Geo.-st.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. THREE Candidates PASSED successfully by F. BEVILL, M.A., 206, Victoria-street.
New class now forming. Apply early.

CHINA PAINTING (in capitals).—The only place where lessons are given in China Painting, is at the Ladies' School of Arts and Needlework, 179, and 181, Forbes-street. All the materials requisite supplied. Drawing lessons also attended by a first-class artist recently arrived from South Kensington. Terms to be had on application to the Principal, Mrs. CAMPBELL, 179, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo.

ENGLISH, French, Drawing (inclusive), 2 guineas. Elfred House, Glenmore Road. Principal, Miss Martin.

EDUCATION.—Mrs. VAILLANT (having been for many years engaged in private tuition) will receive, after Christmas Vacation, Day Pupils and a few Boarders, at her residence, 316, Victoria-street, Darlinghurst.
References from the following ladies, whose daughters she has taught:—
Lady Belmore, Mrs. F. Dangar, Mrs. A. Cox, Mrs. Broadhurst, Mrs. A. M'Arthur, Mrs. L. W. Levy, and Mrs. J. S. Adam.
A Class for French Conversation twice a week.

HURSTVILLE COLLEGE, GOULBURN.—Head Master—J. DAVID SLY, M.A., LL.D., now Principal of Calder House, Redfern.
Resident Masters—H. C. BAKER, late Classical and Mathematical Scholar of Queen's College, Ireland.
J. N. DALTON, late of Trinity Hall, Cambridge.
The Principal of Calder House, Redfern, begs to intimate that he intends to remove to the above in January next.
Goulburn was specially chosen on account of its salubrity and bracing climate. Its elevation exceeds 2000 feet.
Hurstville is situate on a rising ground on the outskirts of Goulburn. It is surrounded by open country, and contains an area of nearly 20 acres in extent, including a fine recreation ground, planted with ornamental trees. It will possess, when completed, spacious schoolroom, dining hall, and dormitories.
In connection with the College there will be a library of books specially adapted to boys, a Magazine composed of articles written by members of the College, and a Literary and Musical Society. A distinctive Uniform has been adopted, which it will be imperative for boys to wear on all occasions. Among other advantages this system tends to foster an "esprit de corps" to maintain a good tone among the boys, and to serve purposes of discipline. Applications to be addressed, till the end of the year, to Calder House, Redfern.

LLANFOYST Ladies' SCHOOL, Victoria-street, Randwick.—Principal, Miss HARVEY. Music pupils desired.

SWIMMING.—Lieut. F. H. VON HAMMER gives LESSONS, as usual, at Mr. Foley's Bath, Domain.

SINGING LESSONS wanted, by young gentleman, terms moderate. Fust, HERALD Office.

International Exhibition.

SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
ISSUE OF TICKETS.—SPECIAL NOTICE.
On and after 31st October, the issue of WEEKLY TICKETS (octagon) will cease. The Ticket Admission Department will issue the following classes of tickets only:—
Daily—1s, 6d, 2s 6d, 1s 3d
Season—£3 3s.
Monthly, £1.
Exhibitors' attendants—Deposit of £1 as guarantee to workmen.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS,
Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
LADIES' COURT.
Exhibitors in this Court are requested to send their GLASS CASES to the building without delay any week day between the hours of 6 and 10 a.m.
Notification of the time for sending in the exhibits should be given as soon as possible.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS,
Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
NOTICE TO OWNERS OF STUD CATTLE.
ENTRIES for Stud Cattle must be sent to this Office, 153, Macquarie-street, not later than SATURDAY, 8th November, while the Show will OPEN in the FIRST WEEK in DECEMBER.
Intending Exhibitors are earnestly requested to send in their Entries as early as practicable, so that it may be known in sufficient time what accommodation has to be provided.
Schedules and Forms of Entry will be sent on application.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS OF LIVE STOCK.
The following will be the order of Entries and Shows for all kinds of Live Stock:—
For Stud Cattle—Entries close 8th November, show opens first week of December.
For Fat Cattle and Sheep—Entries close 19th November, show opens 18th December.
For Wool—Entries close 1st December, show opens 20th December.
For Horses, Asses, and Mules—Entries close 1st December, show opens 12th January.
All exhibits in the above must be on the ground at least one clear day before the show opens.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
MEETINGS OF COMMITTEES.
A MEETING of COMMITTEE, No. XIII., on Education and Science, will be held at their offices, 153, Macquarie-street, on THURSDAY, 30th instant, at 3.30 p.m.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS, Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
COMMITTEE of AWARDS and JUDGES will meet at the Offices of the Commissioners, 153, Macquarie-street, at 3 o'clock on TUESDAY, 28th October, 1879.
AUGUSTUS MORRIS,
Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
PIANOFORTE RECITALS.
Madame CECILIA SUMMERHAYES will give a pianoforte Recital on Messrs. JOHN BRINSMEAD and SONS' patent Sostenente Pianos THIS DAY, Monday, at 3 p.m., at the Brinsmead Piano Stand, in the North Nave (nearly opposite the organ).

SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
GERMAN COURT,
MONDAY AFTERNOON.
MATINEE MUSICALE,
given by
CHARLES HUENERBEIN,
assisted by Lady Amateurs,
Signor ERCOLE ORTORI,
Mr. HODGE.
PROGRAMME, commencing at 4 o'clock.
1. Overture—"Tancredi" ... ... Rossini
Eight hands—Mr. C. HUENERBEIN, LADY AMATEURS.
2. Violin—"Reverie"—Signor ORTORI ... ... Vieuxtemps
3. Piano—"Souvenir de Faust" ... ... De Kontski
Mr. C. HUENERBEIN.
4. Saxophone—"Potpourri"
Mr. HODGE.
5. Duo, Violin and Piano, sonate ... ... Beethoven
Signor ORTORI, Mr. C. HUENERBEIN.
6. Piano duet—"Semiramide" ... ... Rossini
LADY AMATEURS.
The magnificent Piano used on this occasion are from the world renowned firm of "Julius Blüthner," Leipzig, and are the exhibits of Messrs. A. and C. Huenerbein, 218, Pitt-street.

Lectures.

A PUBLIC LECTURE ON EDUCATION will be delivered by the Rev. J. F. CULLEN,
in the Congregational School Hall, Milson's Point,
on FRIDAY EVENING, October 31,
in connection with the North Shore
CONGREGATIONAL LITERARY and DEBATING SOCIETY.
J. A. MORGAN, Hon. Sec.

SYDNEY PLATFORMS AND EUROPEAN CABINETS.
The ADDRESS
delivered by the
Hon. WILLIAM BEDE DALLEY, Q.C., M.L.C.,
to the CATHOLICS of New South Wales on the EDUCATION QUESTION, is now being printed in
PAMPHLET FORM,
and will be ready for SALE in a few days.
Price, 3d each. Single copies, by post, 6d.
Reduction of 25 per cent. on parcels of one dozen or more.
Orders should be sent to the Hon. Secretary of the Committee,
THOMAS J. MURRAY,
Freeman's Journal Office,
190, York-street, Sydney.

Volunteer Notices.

SECOND REGIMENT N. S. W. VOLUNTEER INFANTRY.—Enrolment and Medical Examination of Recruits on TUESDAY, 28th October, at the Offices, 10, O'Connell-street, at 7.30 a.m. Height, from 5 feet 5 inches. Age, 18 years, and upwards.
By order. JAMES WILSON, Captain-Adjutant.

NAVAL BRIGADE to Muster at Circular Quay, at 7.30 p.m., on MONDAY and TUESDAY, the 27th and 28th instant.
Dress—Blue, with white cap covers. Band to attend.
FRANCIS HIXSON,
Captain-commanding.

Borough Council Notices.

BOROUGH OF WAVERLEY.
EXTRAORDINARY VACANCY, NELSON WARD.
NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the 37th and 84th section of the Municipalities Act of 1867, a meeting of the Ratepayers of the above Borough will be held in the Council-chambers, Waverley-street, at noon, on WEDNESDAY, the fifth day of November, to nominate and elect an Alderman for Nelson Ward, in lieu of Robert Sands, disqualified.
Notice of nomination must be in writing, and delivered to me seven clear days before the said fifth day of November.
JOHN MACPHERSON,
Mayor and Returning-Officer.
Waverley Council-chambers,
October 18, 1879.

BOROUGH OF MARRICKVILLE.
TENDERS will be received up to MONDAY next, the 3rd November, for Kerbing and Guttering a part of Stanmore Road (72 yards). Specifications can be seen on application to the Overseer.
L. J. PARK, Council Clerk.
27th October, 1879.

BOROUGH OF THE GLEBE.
NOTICE.
PLANS, with SECTIONS, showing the proposed permanent levels of WOOD-STREET, FORSYTH-STREET, and FERRY ROAD, and ROSS-STREET (from Parramatta Old Road to Parramatta Road), now lie at this Office for inspection, and will so remain for FOURTEEN DAYS from this date, after which any objection will be entertained.
By the Mayor's order.
D. J. O'CONNOR, Council Clerk.
Temporary Council-chambers,
2, Maximus-terrace, Glebe Road, Oct. 21, 1879.

DENISON WARD.
Mr. FRANCIS ABIGAIL'S Committee will meet at the Central Committee Rooms, Webb's Railway Hotel, on MONDAY EVENING, 27th October, at 8 o'clock. Full attendance requested.
J. G. CARTER, } Joint
THOS. DEAN, } Secretaries.

ELECTORS OF DENISON WARD.
Do not be misled into pledging your votes to a man who cannot represent you.

DENISON WARD.
FRANCIS ABIGAIL is a CANDIDATE, and will serve you faithfully.
J. G. CARTER, } Joint
THOS. DEAN, } Secretaries.

Calls on Shares.

THE SYDNEY COFFEE PALACE HOTEL CO. (LIMITED.)
The Board of Directors have this day made the fourth call of 2s per share, payable on or before the 27th day of November next.
All communications to be addressed to Mr. Alexander Meldrum, accountant to the Company, at "The Palace," 385, George-street, Sydney.
SAMUEL E. LEES,
Hon. Sec.
October 24th, 1879.

INVESTMENT wanted for £3000 CASH. Address, with full particulars, WILLMOTT, G.P.O.

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Amusements.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Lessee ... ... Mr. Samuel Lazar
Stage Manager ... ... Mr. B. N. Jones
Scenic Artist ... ... Mr. W. J. Wilson.

WONDERFUL SUCCESS
of
MISS MAGGIE MOORE
and
Mr J. C. WILLIAMSON.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
During this Engagement the FREE LIST will be entirely suspended. Public Press excepted.

THIS (Monday) EVENING, October 27, 1879,
the performance will commence with
A NEW VERSION
of the favourite Drama, in 3 Acts, entitled
STRUCK OIL.

JOHN STOFEL (a Pennsylvania Dutchman), Mr. J. C. Williamson

LIZZIE STOFEL (Daughter of John Stofel), Miss Maggie Moore

During the piece, in addition to the old favourites, Miss MAGGIE MOORE will sing, for the first time in Australia, "Don't Make me Laugh," "Dot Nice Young Man," written and composed expressly for her by G. W. Hunt, Esq., and introduce the great American Jig.

To conclude with a NEW VERSION of the Local Burletta, written expressly for MAGGIE MOORE and J. C. WILLIAMSON, by CLAY M. GREENE, Esq., of San Francisco, entitled
THE CHINESE QUESTION.

Billy, a Dutchman and an Amateur Tragedian ... ... } Mr. J. C. WILLIAMSON
Ah Ka Pung alias Yung Slim
Kitty, the Irish Help, with a strong penchant for Private Theatricals ... } Miss MAGGIE MOORE
Sameee Lo, a Chinese Girl

During the Farce, Miss MAGGIE MOORE will introduce Edward Harrigan's popular New Song, entitled "THE BABIES IN OUR BLOCK," as originally sung by her in Australia; and with Mr. WILLIAMSON will give several beautiful and brilliant Vocal and Instrumental Selections from a favourite Chinese Opera.

☞ CAUTION!—The plays "Struck Oil," and the "Chinese Question," are the sole property of J. C. WILLIAMSON.

In order that the PERFORMANCE MAY TERMINATE IN TIME FOR THE SUBURBAN TRAINS, the CURTAIN WILL RISE at
QUARTER TO EIGHT.
DOORS OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK.

A SALE of PLAIN and FANCY WORK, in aid of the HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, will be held in the Grounds of "Ellerslie," Glenmore Road, TO-DAY, MONDAY, if fine, commencing at half-past 1 o'clock.
In consequence of the inclemency of the weather, the Sale did not take place on Saturday.
Admission 6d, children free.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.
Under the management of Messrs. Hiscocks, Hayman, and Co.
Manager .... Mr. Thos. Kennedy.
SIXTH WEEK, and LAST NIGHTS of
PROFESSOR | PEPPER PEPPER PEPPER | PROFESSOR
(from the Royal Polytechnic Institution, London.)
COMPLETE SUCCESS
of the new programme, which was received on Saturday evening by an enormous audience with every mark of approbation.
TO-NIGHT, MONDAY, October 27th,
the performances will be under the
patronage of
HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR (C. J. Roberts, Esq.).
FRIDAY NEXT, October 31, BENEFIT to Professor PEPPER.
AN ESPECIAL PROGRAMME.
Prices—3s, 2s, 1s, and a few reserved chairs 5s.
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TENTH WEEK,
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This proves the merits of the performance more than showy posters and exaggerated announcements.

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"The Town Hall Clock."

Great Reception of
Madame CORDELIA WOMBOLD,
The greatest Lady Rider in the World.

The Beautiful Trick Horses and Ponies
The Funny Dogs and Monkeys
The Great Star Troupe, in New Acts
and the LAUGHABLE SKETCH,
which terminated the best Programme of the season,
WILL BE REPEATED TO-NIGHT.

DAY PERFORMANCE on WEDNESDAY, at 2 o'clock.

Pit, 1s; stalls, 2s; circle (chairs), 3s; reserved chairs, 4s.
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CALICO BALL.
EVENING DRESS ADMITTED.

EXHIBITION BUILDING, ALFRED PARK,
TUESDAY, 28th October.
Under the Patronage of his Excellency the GOVERNOR, who has kindly consented to be present.

STEWARDS:

Sir James Martin, C.J. | T. Brown, Esq.
Sir Alfred Stephen | F. C. Griffiths, Esq.
The Right Worshipful the Mayor | W. Rothe, Esq.
Sir John Hay | C. Rolleston, Esq.
Sir W. Manning | A. Dowling, Esq.
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M. H. Stephen, Esq. | A. E. Garrick, Esq.
R. Close, Esq. | G. Miller, Esq.
J. R. Street, Esq. | Captain Osborne
D. E. Labertouche, Esq. | W. Long, Esq.
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Tickets, 15s each, to be had of the Stewards, and of Messrs. Allerding, Elvy, Fiavelle, Parrott, Reading, Sands and Co.

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Omnibuses and Waggonettes can be obtained from
THE SYDNEY TRAMWAY and OMNIBUS CO.,
72, King-street.

A GRAND FANCY FAIR will be opened in aid of the WOLLONGONG CONVENT SCHOOL, THIS DAY, OCTOBER 27, in the TEMPERANCE HALL, SYDNEY, and remain open until NOVEMBER 8, 1879.
The notice of the public is particularly called to the fact that the Fancy Fair will only open EACH EVENING, at 6 p.m., so that visitors to the Exhibition can visit both places of enjoyment and sightseeing.
FOUR CONCERTS and a LECTURE will be given by well-known artists during the time that the Fair is open.

The following ladies have kindly undertaken to hold stalls:—
Mrs. Birrell
Mrs. Hollingdale
Misses Higgins
Mrs. M'Donald
Misses M'Neille
Mrs. O'Sullivan
Mrs. Perkins,
and the Wollongong Ladies' Stall.

Admission each evening will be ONE SHILLING, and many novelties never seen in a Sydney Fancy Fair will be announced in late issues.
M. FLANAGAN, Dean.

WESTERN SUBURBS HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Annual ROSE and FLOWER SHOW will be held in the School of Arts, Burwood, on WEDNESDAY, 29th October. Doors open from 2 till 10 p.m. Admission, members free; non-members, 1s.
J. SIDNEY, Secretary.

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THE GREAT RUSSIAN PIANISTE OF MOSCOW.
Madlle. OLGA DUBOIN,
will shortly give
positively
ONLY ONE
GRAND PIANO RECITAL,
at the
MASONIC HALL.

BALMAIN REGATTA, 1879.
ENTRIES will be received at the Balmain School of Arts from 8 to 9 p.m., THIS DAY, the 27th instant.
Committee meet at 7.30 p.m.
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VICTORIA THEATRE.
Stage Manager.............................. Mr. J. H. Rainford.

TO-NIGHT, MONDAY, TO-NIGHT.

A FACT WORTHY OF NOTICE.

On Saturday evening the curtain was raised upon the end of each act.

THE PRINCIPALS CALLED AND RECALLED.

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It forms the subject of debate with
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It is discussed in the
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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
The Management, with a keen regard to the requirements and taste of this critical community, have very much pleasure indeed in announcing the reproduction of the Rev. Henry Ward Beecher's favourite, moral, religious, and temperance drama of
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Is a lesson vivid and telling
A fearful and terrible warning.
An example that sinks to the heart,
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THRILLING INCIDENTS,
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LAUGHTER, TEARS, and INTEREST.
NOTHING TO CAUSE ONE BLUSH.
NOTHING TO PAIN THE PUREST SOUL.

The people say on every side,
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No other play seen in their day
Contained such moral lore.
All honour, then, unto that play,
Which such a tale can tell,
Through harmless fun, apt joke, and pun,
As stays a soul from hell.

On purpose to give all a chance of witnessing this moral drama, it will be preceeded
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Douglas Jerrold's
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BLACK-EYED SUSAN;
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BILLIARDS.

MASONIC HALL, YORK-STREET.

Mr. W. COOK, CHAMPION OF ENGLAND,
Mr. L. KILKENNY, CHAMPION OF YORKSHIRE,
will play
THIS (Monday) EVENING, October 27th, Mr. Kilkenny receiving a start of 250 points in 1,000.

In consequence of Mr. Lazar's unavoidable absence, the conclusion of Mr. Cook's great Tournament cannot be decided until TUESDAY EVENING, the 28th instant.

Admission as usual—3s, 2s, 1s.
Doors open at 7.30; commence at 8 p.m.
J. BILLIN, Manager.

QUARRYMEN'S EXCURSION will take place THIS DAY, Monday, to Clontarf. Young Australian Band.
Steamers COMMODORE and EMU leave John-street, Pyrmont, 9, 9.30, 11; Circular Quay at 10, 11.30, and 12.30; Darling-street, Balmain, 9.15, 11.15.
Tickets, 2s each. Children under 10 free.
S. MAIDMENT, Secretary.

BENEFIT OF THE MANLY FIRE BRIGADE.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION AND CONCERT.
IVANHOE PARK PAVILION, MANLY,
THIS EVENING, October 27th.

Return Tickets, including steamer and concert, 2s 6d. The saloon steamer FAIRLIGHT will leave Circular Quay, 7.30, returning at 11 p.m. The St. Augustine's Brass Band, 24 performers, will accompany the Fairlight, under their bandmaster, Mr. W. Bishop. City and suburban Fire Brigades are requested to attend in uniform.

GRAND NATIONAL DEMONSTRATION,
PRINCE OF WALES' BIRTHDAY.

The Working Committee have much pleasure in informing the various Friendly and Trade Societies that they have completed arrangements for this important demonstration, full particulars of which may be obtained from the chairman, Mr. G. T. Sutton, 184, Riley-street, and from the hon. secretaries, T. H. Dodds, Campbell-street, Surry Hills; C. T. Pierce, Regent-street, Newtown, or 82, Clarence-street; also the hon. Treasurer, Mr. R. Balls, 165, York-street.

The next MEETING of the Working Committee will be held in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY EVENING next, at half-past 7 o'clock sharp.
T. H. DODDS, } Hon. Secretaries.
C. T. PIERCE, }

CONGREGATIONAL SABBATH SCHOOL, Devonshire-street.—PICNIC to CHOWDER BAY, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, October 28.
Tickets, 1s 6d; children half-price.
Steamer will leave Woolloomooloo Bay, 9 a.m., 11.30 a.m., and 1.15 p.m.; Circular Quay, 11 a.m. and 12.50 p.m.

DEVONSHIRE-STREET CONGREGATIONAL SABBATH SCHOOL PICNIC to Chowder Bay, TUESDAY, 28th October. Steamer leaves Woolloomooloo 9 a.m., and Circular Quay at 10.30 and 1.30 p.m. Tickets, 1s 6d.

SYDNEY MUSICAL UNION.
ORCHESTRAL PRACTICE TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock, 165, Elizabeth-street.
W. MUELLER.

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The Choir will meet for practice at the Rooms of the Y. M. C. A., corner of Pitt and Park streets, on WEDNESDAY, at 7.30 p.m.
Ladies and gentlemen willing to help are requested to be present.
Mr. SALIER will conduct.
T. B. TRESS, } Hon.
DAVID WALKER, } Secretaries.

PARRAMATTA RACES.
PRINCE OF WALES'S BIRTHDAY.

Owners and Trainers are requested to take notice that entrances for the above will now be received by the undersigned, and close punctually at 8 o'clock p.m., on TUESDAY next, October 28, at Mack's White Horse Hotel, Church-street Parramatta.
W. H. HILLAS, Hon. Sec.

BALMAIN REGATTA.—All applications for Booths, Stalls, &c., to be made to MAURICE BENNETT, Town Hall Hotel, Darling Road; or to J. BRIMFIELD, Greengrocer, Darling Road, Balmain.

CHESTER C. C. disengaged Saturday next, also November 15th. W. BRIGDEN, Hon. Sec., 614, Elizabeth-street.

BALMAIN ALEXANDRIA C. C.—Annual EXCURSION, postponed from Saturday last in consequence of the inclemency of the weather, will take place on Saturday, 8th Nov. Previous tickets available. R. E. WOOD, Hon. Secretary.

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Public Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction.

ESTATE OF THE LATE JOSEPH BECKER.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS.

PURSUANT to the Trust Property Act of 1862: NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and others having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of the abovenamed JOSEPH BECKER, late of Bourke, in the colony of New South Wales, Esquire, deceased, who died on or about the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and Probate of whose Will was granted by the honorable the Supreme Court of New South Wales, in its Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction, on or about the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, to JANE BECKER, the Honorable Sir GEORGE WIGRAM ALLEN, Knight, and CHARLES COWPER, the Executrix and Executors in the said Will named, are hereby requested to send full particulars of such claims to the said Jane Becker, Sir George Wigram Allen, and Charles Cowper, or to Messieurs ALLEN, BOWDEN, and ALLEN, Solicitors, of 124, Elizabeth-street, Sydney, on or before the seventeenth day of November next: And notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the last mentioned date the said Executors will be at liberty to pay, apply, and distribute the assets of the said Joseph Becker, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said Executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so paid, applied, or distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.
Dated this seventeenth day of October, A.D. 1879.
ARTHUR MANSFIELD ALLEN, Proctor for Executors, 124, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.
In Insolvency.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
An account, with plan of distribution, in the Estate of CHARLES GRACE, of Tamworth, Builder, No. 13570, showing a dividend of 3s 8 5-32d per £ on proved concurrent debts, and payment in full of preferent debts, is now filed in the Office of Insolvency, King-street, Sydney, for inspection of all persons interested, and Notice is hereby given that the same will be submitted to the Court for confirmation on THURSDAY, the 6th day of November, if not previously objected to.
ALFRED SANDEMAN,
Official Assignee,
Temple Court, Sydney.
Dated 19th October, 1879.

MASONIC CHARITIES FUND, for the RELIEF of NECESSITOUS WIDOWS and ORPHANS of FREEMASONS in this colony.
The following amounts have been received, and are acknowledged with best thanks:—

His Excellency the Governor, Lord Augustus Loftus...	£2	0	0
The Right Worshipful the Mayor of Sydney (C. J. Roberts, Esq.) ...	1	0	0
The Mayor of Randwick (G. Wall, Esq.) ...	1	5	0
Captain Matthieu, "Le Rhin" ...	1	0	0
Captain Pichler, "Heligoland" ...	1	0	0
W. M'Carthy, Esq. ...	1	1	0
R. O. Lord, Esq. ...	0	15	0
Proceeds of Amateur Dramatic Performance, Theatre Royal, 17th October ...	105	8	0
Social Mother Lodge, No. 0 ...	10	0	0
Leinster Marine Lodge, No. 1 ...	10	0	0
Tarbolton Lodge, No 2 ...	10	0	0
Cosmopolitan Lodge, No. 16 ...	10	0	0
Pythagoras Lodge, No. 17 ...	10	0	0

N.B.—All further subscriptions or donations will be duly acknowledged.
JAMES HUNT, P. M., Treasurer.
MONTAGU S. MACHEN, P. M., Secretary.
Masonic Temple, Clarence-street,
25th October, 1879.

ASYLUM FOR DESTITUTE CHILDREN, RANDWICK.
£10 REWARD.—NOTICE is hereby given, that the sum of ten pounds will be paid to any person or persons, who will give such information to the Directors that will lead to the apprehension and conviction of any person or persons guilty of enticing or persuading, any inmate or inmates, to remove or escape from such Asylum or premises.
S. H. PEARCE, Hon. Treasurer.
Randwick Asylum, October 22, 1879.

No. 79-90. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney,
22nd October, 1879.

REMOVAL OF HOUSE RUBBISH.
NOTICE is hereby given that in future the Scavengers' Carts will commence to collect and remove house refuse at Eight o'clock every evening, from the central portion of the City, between the Circular Quay and George-street West; and Macquarie-street and Darling Harbour. The approach of the carts will be announced by ring of bell, when householders will be expected to have their receptacles containing rubbish brought on to the footways of the streets, but in no case must rubbish be so deposited before the hour named. All boxes or other receptacles found upon the streets after having been emptied will be carted away and destroyed.
CHARLES H. WOOLCOTT,
Town Clerk.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SYDNEY MORNING HERALD.
Sir,—I beg that you will kindly make the following corrections in my advertisement relative to Mr. Shepherd's case, which was published in your last Thursday's issue.
In the 3rd paragraph, where it reads "I healed them all," please read "I treated them all." Again, in my certificate of death, the words "lungs and head" should read "lungs and heart," and lastly, your readers will please notice that it was Dr. Davidson stated convulsions produced labour, &c., and not Dr. Gentle, as was possibly inferred.
W. WARREN, Homœopathist,
Goulburn.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
In consequence of the advance in the Flour Market, the Master Bakers have raised the BREAD ONE HALFPENNY PER LOAF.
25th October.

NOTICE to W. SNOWDON.—If you do not proceed with your Contract, viz., Erection of Staircase, Public School, Crown-street, Surry Hills, by 3rd November, 1879, we will do so at your risk. D. MACKAY and SON.

TEN SHILLINGS REWARD on conviction of the party or parties harbouring my Son, C. A. GLOVER.
T. GLOVER,
Woolloomooloo.

VOIGTLANDER'S celebrated Vienna GLASSES.—The highest scientific skill is brought to bear upon the manufacture of Voigtlander's Opera, Race, and Marine GLASSES, which surpass all others for great power, large field of view, and sharpness of definition. Wholesale only from W. WOOD and CO., 44, Little Collins-street, East Melbourne, retail from Watchmakers and Opticians.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
I have this day removed my business of Auctioneer and Commission Agent to those very commodious premises, No. 125, PITT-STREET.
LOUIS COHEN.

COLONIAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY (Limited).
AUDITORSHIP.
A VACANCY having occurred in the office of Auditor in consequence of the death of Mr. J. S. Gordon, the Directors will receive applications from Members of the Society desirous of filling that office up to WEDNESDAY, the 29th October instant.
All information respecting the duties, terms, &c., can be obtained at the offices of the Society.
By order of the Board.
ALFRED CHANDLER, Secretary.
Offices—163 and 165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

MELBOURNE CUP. SPECIAL NOTICE.
ORIENTAL HOTEL.
Change of management, entire reorganisation of the staff and cuisine. Reduced rates, a large and choice stock of wines and spirits carefully selected by connoisseurs; special attention to families guaranteed. Communications by telegram or by post, addressed to the undersigned, will receive prompt attention.
S. A. A. MUGGERIDGE, Manager.

NOTICE TO PRODUCE MERCHANTS and others.—All goods for, or consigned to the undersigned, MUST be shipped by the A. S. N. CO.'S steamship only, or delivery WILL NOT be taken. October 22. Joseph Pattison and Co., Rockhampton.

SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
The PORTABLE SAW MILL in the Canadian Court, Machinery Hall, can be seen at work between the hours of 2 and 5 p.m. Other Machinery, including the OSBORNE SELF BINDING HARVESTER, can be seen at work from 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. each day.
WILLIAM FLEMING,
Importer, 52, Clarence-street.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, 1879.
The undersigned are AGENTS for the following firms now exhibiting at the GARDEN PALACE:—
William Edmonds and Co., Liverpool—Pig ale and stout
Bernard and Co., Leith—Encore whisky, Old Tom, limejuice cordial, ginger wine
Menier and Co., Paris and London—Chocolate, cocoa, &c.
Lynch and Co., London—Druggists' Sundrymen, &c.
King and Sons, London—Preserved potatoes
Bell and Black, London—Matches, tapers, &c.
Braby and Co., London—Galvanized iron, zinc ware, &c.
W. J. Bush and Co., London—Dry colours, essential oils, essences &c.
J. Richardson and Co.—Perfumes, soaps, &c.
Rigollot and Co., Paris and London—Pepsine wine, mustard leaves, moss poultice, and lozenges
J. Harris and Co., London—Threads, cottons, &c.
J. Libby and Co., Stroud—Broadcloths, woollens, &c.
Seth Thomas and Co., New York—Clocks
Thurber and Co., New York—Canned fruits, fish, vegetables, &c.
New Jersey Rubber Co., New Brunswick—Boots and shoes
E. Morgan and Sons, New York—Sapolio
Haggett, Brothers, Brampton, America—Reaping machines
Hartshorne, New York—Spring blinds and shades
Renish Dynamite Co., Prussia—Dynamite, fuze, caps, &c.
Chassang and Co., Paris—Patent medicines.
DAVID COHEN and CO.,
Sydney and Maitland.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
VISITORS TO THE PALACE GARDENS
should not fail to
VISIT
EMERSON'S REFRESHMENT PAVILION,
near the
Fountain and Luncheon Rooms,
under the Dome,
where every DELICACY
can be procured
AT TWO MINUTES' NOTICE.
Also,
the best Brands
of
WINES, SPIRITS, ALE AND PORTER, &c.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
COMPAGNONI and CO.'S REFRESHMENT PAVILION,
near
Live Stock Sheds and Machinery Hall,
in
OUTER DOMAIN,
will be found Complete in every particular,
where
REFRESHMENTS,
similar to those supplied at their business, 203, Pitt-street,
opposite Victoria Theatre,
ARE PROVIDED AT SAME PRICES.
Best of Wines, &c., obtainable in all the departments.
SPECIAL RETIRING ROOMS FOR LADIES.
SALOONS for GENTLEMEN, &c., &c.
ADMISSION TICKETS obtainable at 203, PITT-STREET.

NOTICE.—I will not be responsible for any DEBTS my Wife may contract. JAMES GREEN.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
FLAVELLE, BROTHERS, and ROBERTS,
in addition to their own large and valuable exhibit
of
DIAMOND and OTHER JEWELLERY,
WATCHES,
SILVER PLATE,
and
SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS,
would beg to call attention to
EXHIBITS
from the undermentioned houses, for whom they are appointed agents and representatives,
viz:—
ROSS and CO.,
the
CELEBRATED OPTICIANS,
of
NEW BOND-STREET,
LONDON
(whose Show Case is to be seen in F. B. and R.'s space of the British Section).

IN THE AMERICAN COURT,
from
SAMUEL S. WHITE,
PHILADELPHIA,
an Exhibit
of
DENTISTRY,
well worthy the attention of the Profession.

In the GERMAN COURT,
from
E. O. RICHTER and CO.,
Chemnitz, Saxony,
An exhibit of the newest inventions and most modern styles of Drawing and Mathematical Instruments.

In the FRENCH COURT,
from
QUINET, RICHARD, and CO., Paris,
a beautiful and interesting exhibit of
CARRIAGE CLOCKS.

N.B.—Information concerning any of the above may be obtained at our space in the North Nave, near the Transept.
FLAVELLE, BROTHERS, and ROBERTS,
354, George-street.

WOOLGROWERS are respectfully informed that the undersigned are now receiving from Dundee WOOLPACKS made especially for FINE WOOLS. These packs are EXTRA QUALITY; the weft is as fine as the warp; they have a bold blue and red stripe, are sewn with best flax twine, and WEIGH FULLY 11 lbs. Flockmasters will find these goods cheaper in the end than ordinary packs, as NO PRESSING or DUMPING CAN BURST them. A sample bale of 50 can be had on application.
CHAS. MOORE and CO., 167, Pitt-street.

ADVANCES made on Wool, Metals, and other colonial produce for Sale here, in London, or elsewhere. Credits granted for purchase of goods, and indents executed on the most favourable terms, through our London house, Messrs. John B. Watt and Co., 5, East India Avenue, Leadenhall-street.
GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
Lloyd's Agency.

WOOL AND OTHER PRODUCE.—Liberal cash advances made by the undersigned on wool and other produce placed in their hands for sale in the colonies or for shipment to Messrs. Dalgety, Du Croz, and Co., their London firm. Advances made on stations and stock. Station stores supplied.
DALGETY, BLACKWOOD, and CO.
Offices: Exchange-buildings, Pitt-street (next Messrs. W. Laidley and Co.'s), Sydney.

THE Undersigned are cash purchasers of ANTIMONY ORE. BRIGHT, BROTHERS, and CO., 52, Pitt-street.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT PERMANENT BUILDING and INVESTMENT SOCIETY.
BOARD OF MANAGEMENT:
George Renwick, Esq., President.
Wm. Day, Esq. | John Woods, Esq.
John Roseby, Esq. | James Pemell, Esq.
David Elphinston, Esq. | Wm. Clarke, Esq.
NOTICE.—Deposits received to any extent. 8 per cent. allowed for twelve months, 7½ per cent. for 6 months.
By order of the Board.
WILLIAM JARRETT, Manager.
Offices, York-street, near Druitt-street, formerly the Synagogue

LONDON LOAN AND DISCOUNT BANK.
183, ELIZABETH-STREET SOUTH,
next St. James's School.
First established in Sydney.
MONEY advanced in sums from £5 to £1000 on two responsible securities. Arrangements can be made for WEEKLY, MONTHLY, or QUARTERLY payments.
BILLS OF SALE on Furniture, without possession.
Advances made upon mortgage, deposit of deeds, merchandise, bonded certificates, trade bills, &c.
Forms may be had gratis.

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COLONIAL MORTGAGE, LOAN, AND DISCOUNT BANKING COMPANY'S OFFICES,
220, Market and Castlereagh streets.
The operations of this Company embrace the following branches:—
1. Promissory notes, acceptances, bills of exchange discounted daily.
2. Mortgages effected on city, suburban, and country properties.
3. Money advanced on deposit of deeds, with or without transfer, and on leaseholds, shares and scrip of public companies, bills of sale, bonded certificates, merchandise; also on good personal security, payable by weekly, monthly, or quarterly instalments.
4. Reversionary interests, annuities, and life interests in estates purchased, or advances made thereon as required.
All communications, private, confidential, or otherwise, addressed to the undersigned, will have strict and prompt attention.
D. BARNETT, General Manager.

MONEY for Investment on good Mortgage Securities. T. SALTER, Solicitor, Hunter and Bligh streets.

PRIVATE LOAN OFFICE, 86, Phillip-st.—Advances made on every description of property, without removal or publicity.

MUTUAL LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY,
42, HUNTER-STREET,
two doors from HERALD Office.

MONEY ON EASY TERMS,
on
FREEHOLD and LEASEHOLD PROPERTIES.

INTEREST FROM FIVE PER CENT.
in SUMS from £10 to £10,000, to MALE or FEMALE, repaying both PRINCIPAL and INTEREST as follows:—
SIXPENCE PER WEEK ON EVERY POUND BORROWED, OR BY MONTHLY OR QUARTERLY INSTALMENTS, to suit convenience of borrowers. ON NOTE OF HAND, STOCK-IN-TRADE, FURNITURE, WITHOUT REMOVAL OR LAW COSTS.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and PIANOS for SALE on WEEKLY or MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

MONEY
advanced from £5 and upwards, on deeds (leasehold or freehold), cattle, farms, bills of sale without possession, machinery, stock, reversionary interests in the colonies or Europe, repayable by quarterly, monthly, or weekly instalments, at the rate of
6d IN THE £,
or otherwise, to suit applicants.
All communications, either personal or by letter to the manager, strictly confidential.
UNION LOAN AND DISCOUNT COMPANY.
762, George-street (Haymarket),
3 doors from A. Hordern and Sons'.
NOTICE.
For convenience of borrowers, the Companies Offices are open IN THE EVENING three times every week, viz., MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and SATURDAY, from 7 TO 9.

MILBURN CREEK Copper Mining Company (limited).—Shares upon application. Farnell and Martin, 287, Geo.-st.

WANTED to DISPOSE OF, a £1000 SHARE, that is paying 30 per cent. to a working partner. J. Z., General Post Office.

Produce Provisions &c.

J. PEMELL'S Office and Store, op., Railway GATE Flour Mill, Sussex-street, near Haymarket.—Silk-dressed, Superfine, Fine, and Seconds FLOUR; Wheat Meal, Maize Meal, Bran, Pollard, Prepared Cattle Food, Whole and Cracked Corn, Barley, Oats, Peas, Straw, Oaten and Lucerne Hay and Chaff, Potatoes. Guaranteed best qualities; lowest prices.

FLOUR.—Superfine, fine, household, and seconds, manufactured at our Bathurst, Ashfield, and SYDNEY MILLS; also, various country and Adelaide brands. Bran, pollard, corn meal, corn flour, barley, oats, maize (whole and cracked), on SALE by M. BOYLSON and SONS, the Sydney Flour Mills, Grafton Wharf.

FRESH BUTTER.—Frozen Fresh Spring BUTTER, in quantities to suit the trade and families always in stock. Fresh Food and Ice Company (Limited), 19, Harbour-street.

ADELAIDE TOWN BRANDS superfine FLOUR, sacks, halves, and quarters; Hart's, Magarey's, Duffield's, and Dunn's
ADELAIDE COUNTRY BRANDS superfine Flour, various
ADELAIDE WHEAT
ADELAIDE JAMS and JELLIES
SWISS MILLING SILK, various numbers, very finest quality
FRENCH BURR MILLSTONES, 3½ and 4 feet
CORN SACKS, Calcutta and Dundee.
BEILBY and CO.

W. H. ARIELL, 119 and 121, Sussex-street, Commercial Agent, has for SALE S. and A.'s Prize Biscuits, Cakes, Treacle, and Golden Syrup; G. Bencraft's Superior Oatmeal and Dressed Rice; Victorian Confectionery, Mottled and Yellow Soap, Apollo and Mould Candles, Hunt and Co.'s Prize Baking Powders and Goulburn Jams, Cheshire and N. Wilts Cheese, York Hams, Bacon, Currants, Elémes, Muscatels, Dates, Candied Peel, Soda Crystals, Gelatine and Isinglass, Gelatine Lozenges, Caraway and Canary Seed, Maizena, Arrowroot, S. Peas, P. Barley, Sago, Tapioca, B. Nuts, S. S. Almonds, Fencing Wire, Paper and Paper Bags, and Oilmen's Stores.

ALL USE IT. IT IS AT EVERY PICNIC.
IT IS IN EVERY KITCHEN.
It gives the finish to every dish, for gravies, soups, game, fish, or cold meats. It assists digestion and increases the appetite. It has a place at Government House, and is seen at every respectable artisan's. The protectionists use it because it is colonial, the free-traders because it is cheap. It is the especial favourite with all classes because, as one of the Sydney clergymen wrote, "It is the best-yet made." It is the
AUSTRALIAN RELISH
made by
WASHINGTON H. SOUL, 221, PITT-STREET,
and sold by every storekeeper.
Price, ONE SHILLING.

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MILK—Dairymaid brand Condensed Milk, 4 tins for 2s 6d
SUGAR—Loaf Sugar, 4½d per lb.
HERRINGS—Morton's Fresh Herrings, 4 tins for 2s
OATMEAL—Bencraft's Victorian, 1s 6d per 7-lb. bag
SALMON—2-medal brand Fresh Salmon, 4 tins for 2s
BUTTER—3 lbs. very best in Sydney for 1s 6d
CHEESE—Tooth's brand now in stock.
(KIDMAN'S MYSTERY.)
JAMES KIDMAN, Oxford-street
Haymarket
Lower George-street, and
George and Market streets.

ASK your Grocer for PEMELL'S PATENT MEAL.

Businesses for Sale.

TO BOARDING-HOUSE KEEPERS.—Auction Sale This Day, in Bligh-street. See Vaughan's advertisement.

JOSEPH and CO. offer HOTELS, City and Suburbs, at all prices to suit purchasers, £100 to £3000; liberal assistance. Full particulars and terms and cards to view. Apply JOSEPH and CO., 110, King-street.

FOR SALE, LEASE, LICENSE, Goodwill, Furniture, Stock-in-trade, &c., of Webb's RAILWAY HOTEL, immediately opposite the Railway Station, George-street, and adjoining Mr. Inglis's large and extensive Cattle and Produce Sale Yards. The above Hotel, commanding so many business advantages, and having such a large connection, is not likely to remain in the market very long, and intending purchasers should not delay in inspecting this Hotel, where they can obtain full particulars from the proprietor.
WILLIAM WEBB.

FOR SALE, a first-class Cordial BUSINESS, doing a good trade, on easy terms, with option of lease or purchase of premises. Messrs. ELLIOTT, BROTHERS, Pitt-street.

FOR SALE, Greengrocery BUSINESS, Horse, Cart, and Harness; bargain. 37, Albion-street.

Furniture, &c.

FURNITURE SHOWROOMS,
O'Connell-street.
The undersigned invite the attention of parties furnishing, gentlefolks recently arrived, and the public generally, to the
MAGNIFICENT SELECTION
of
HIGH CLASS FURNITURE,
NOW ON VIEW
at the above address,
☞ FOR PRIVATE SALE,
AT TRADE PRICES,
including a complete assortment of HALL, DINING-ROOM, LIBRARY, DRAWING-ROOM, and BEDROOM REQUISITES of the MOST NOVEL and FASHIONABLE DESIGNS.
Fresh consignments are now being opened out, and will be followed by other
EXTENSIVE SHIPMENTS,
arrangements having been made with the LEADING MANUFACTURING HOUSES in LONDON for continuous supplies.

A great variety of ELEGANT and SUBSTANTIAL FURNITURE of a LESS EXPENSIVE CHARACTER is also open for inspection, as well as an extensive assortment of IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS (with or without Bedding), AUSTRIAN BENT-WOOD FURNITURE, PIANOS, and HARMONIUMS, by the best makers, and a large assortment of COLONIAL FURNITURE (under advance), which may be purchased at very low prices.

EXPERIENCED PACKERS are retained for the safe dispatch of goods for the country or for shipment.

BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB,
Auctioneers and General Commission Agents,
Furniture Warehouse and Show Rooms, O'Connell-street,
Auction Sale Rooms, Spring-street.

OUT-DOOR SALES by Auction of Furniture and Effects, Glass, China, Plate, Pictures, &c., arranged by a special staff, and conducted as with marked success for the past 20 years.
Regular Sales by Auction at the Rooms of furniture, jewellery, and all descriptions of merchandise sent for unreserved sale.
Cash advances made to any extent on goods for bona fide sale.
Valuations made and Inventories taken.

THE IMPROVED "HOME SHUTTLE" SEWING-MACHINE.
All genuine machines stamped "M. Moss and Co."
REDUCED PRIZE LIST.
No. 1.—For Hand Use, complete, £4.
No. 2.—For Treadle Use, with table complete, £6.
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We have appointed Mr. C. E. FULLER, Stationer, &c., George-street, opposite Royal Hotel, Sole Retail Agent, where the machines are procurable on a liberal time-payment system.
Sole Wholesale Agents, M. MOSS and CO.,
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WERTHEIM SEWING-MACHINES at the WERTHEIM SALON, German Court, GARDEN PALACE. The attendants will carefully explain and perform all kinds of machine sewing. Inspect them! Delivery, CARRIAGE PAID, to ANY TOWN in the colony. BEALE and COMPANY, Agents, Market Buildings, George-street.

PERFECTION IN SEWING-MACHINES.
Visitors to the International inspect the NEW DAVIS SEWING-MACHINE in the American Gallery, the only machine that will feed without assistance from the operator, run work through without guiding, pushing, pulling, or any of the usual methods by which work is FORCED through a Sewing-Machine. Mark the DAVIS well, and note the quality, style, and variety of work that can be done on it. A marvel of SIMPLICITY and EFFICIENCY, and withal the CHEAPEST first-class Machine in Australia.
B. O. HOLTERMANN and CO., Sole Agents,
42, Pitt-street.

WANZER SEWING MACHINE.
Used in 8000 Public Schools in England and Ireland.

The following is extracted from "Hardware," The Ironmongers' Journal, February 15th, 1878:—"The Wanzer machine has been most severely tested, and for speed, accuracy, beauty of stitch, and extensive range of work, it is without a rival.
WANZER, £4 10s; with stand, £8 15s.
WANZER F, £8 8s, to work backwards and forwards, at will of operator.
Payment by instalments of 2s 6d per week.
MACHINES REPAIRED and put in first-class order by an experienced engineer on the premises.
KILTING or PLAITING MACHINES,
35s and 50s each.
LARGE MARBLE-TOP TABLES,
with handsome bronze stands.
Sole Agents: GIBBS, SHALLARD, and CO.,
108, Pitt-street,
next Union Bank.

ALCOCK AND CO.,
Billiard Table Manufacturers,
Russell-street,
MELBOURNE.
BILLIARD TABLES
on view,
Victorian Court,
INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.
Cloth, Cues, Balls, Cement, and all requisites for a Billiard Room.
Catalogues on application.
HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN, Agents,
Sydney.

OUR GREAT AMERICAN CHAIR SALE IS NOW PROCEEDING at a reduction of twenty per cent. from the regular prices.
Take as an example the usual 5s chair, which is now sold at 4s, and the other sixty samples are reduced in the same proportion.
The Bargain Room is considerably enlarged, and the attractive display of furniture, all plainly priced, is worth a visit of inspection.
W. B. CAMPBELL.
N. B.—Do not fail to ask for W. B. Campbell's Guide to Sydney, which you can have free of charge.

THE GLASS FLY-TRAPS
have arrived, and are now ready for SALE.
Our Season's supply is
ONE THOUSAND.
Also, GLASS PARLOUR FILTERS in variety,
just opened at the
ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE,
W. B. CAMPBELL,
next to the Royal Hotel, George-street, Sydney.

JAPANESE BLINDS.
TWENTY-SIX DIFFERENT SAMPLES of the FASHIONABLE and COMFORTABLE JAPANESE BLINDS have arrived just in time for the SUMMER SEASON. They are suitable for WINDOW BLINDS, VERANDAH BLINDS, and BALCONY BLINDS. The prices range upwards from 3s 6d each.
At the ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE,
W. B. CAMPBELL,
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ELEGANT SUITES OF FURNITURE.
AUSTRIAN—Cane-seated, in Walnut
ENGLISH—Silk and Creton upholstered
GERMAN—Silk Rep and Creton upholstered
COLONIAL—Silk Rep, Creton and Hair upholstered
Bedsteads, in about one hundred kinds, from 15s to every guineas each.
A Variety of NEW SAMPLES of ENGLISH FURNITURE has arrived, and is now ready for selection.
W. B. CAMPBELL,
ROYAL FURNISHING ARCADE,
next to the Royal Hotel, George-street, Sydney.

IRON BEDSTEADS, Cots, Bedding, Furniture, cheap. SOLOMON'S Furnishing Arcade, 688, George-street South.

TEN THOUSAND REFERENCES can be given as to the superiority of the Improved HOME SHUTTLE SEWING-MACHINE over all others, at the Sole Retail Agency, 389, George-street, Sydney. Time payments, 10s; deposit 2s 6d weekly. Come and try before you buy.
C. E. FULLER, Sole Retail Agent.

ROBERT HARDY, Furniture Warehouseman, 33, Park and Castlereagh streets, furnishes houses from £10 to £1000, upon easiest terms offered in the city. Weekly or monthly payments. N.B.—Second-hand furniture bought, sold, or exchanged.

TIME PAYMENTS.—Time Payments, weekly or monthly instalments. ROBERT HARDY, 33, Park-street.

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THE AUTOMATIC SILENT SEWING-MACHINE OF THE WILLCOX and GIBBS COMPANY, therefore is now self-regulating, and has only one thread, therefore is most simple.
Is of best material and workmanship, therefore most durable.
S. HEBBLEWHITE, 432, George-street, Sydney.

SINGER'S SEWING-MACHINE for SALE, nearly new, a bargain. Apply C. REEN, Butcher, Burwood.

FOR SALE, SUITE of Horsehair and other furniture, suitable for cottage; also, HOUSE to LET. Persons leaving the colony. Particulars, apply Mrs. KEAN, No. 2, Oak-terrace, off Little Brisbane-street.

WERTHEIM SEWING-MACHINES.
On and after this day NO INTEREST OR ADVANCE WHATEVER will be charged for TIME PAYMENT! NO EXTRA CHARGE of any kind is made upon the LIST PRICES!!
WERTHEIM'S HAND MACHINE, with all appliances complete, £3 15s, upon TIME PAYMENT!!
TREADLES, £6 10s, upon TIME PAYMENT!!!
Instalments, 2s 6d per week.
WE DEFY any dealers to PERFORM with their machines the large a range of work as we show upon the WERTHEIM, yet NONE offer such QUALITY, PRICES, or TERMS.
BEALE and COMPANY,
Market Buildings, George-street.
27th October, 1879.

Stock and Stations.

TO ARRIVE PER SHIP PARRAMATTA.
The beautiful Shorthorn COW, HIRONDELLE; calved July 22nd, 1875. Sire, Woolmer's Duke (32800); dam, Hebe II by Thorndale Duke; g d Fairmaid by 2nd Duke of Clarence, &c. This cow was bred by Herbert Wodehouse, Esq., the celebrated shorthorn breeder, of Woolmer's Park, near Hertford. Further particulars can be obtained from Captain GODDARD, on arrival.

Coal, Firewood, &c.

FOR SALE, Wood and Coal Business, with Horse and Dray, Harris-street, Ultimo. Apply ... Ultimo.

SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

Rain set in shortly before the time for opening the gates of the Exhibition on Saturday morning, and during the day some heavy showers fell from a dull leaden sky. This state of things naturally interfered with the attendance of visitors, especially during the morning; and though the weather was fine for a considerable part of the afternoon, the number of people who passed through the gates was less than usual.

The various shows, including of course the dogs and the poultry, were well patronised and the dogs especially attracted a great deal of attention, the various breeds being considerably admired. The camera obscura and the exhibition of Fijian and Tanna natives may be included amongst the list of those outside aids to the Exhibition which render it all the more attractive.

There are two or three more than ordinarily interesting exhibits in the Tasmanian Court which have not yet been mentioned. One is a pair of portraits of personages whose reputation is familiar to all who are acquainted with Australian history. Visitors to Sydney, especially if they be visitors for the first time, are interested by no "sight" more than by the historical spot in the Domain known as Mrs. Macquarie's Chair, or by the antiquated obelisk in the small enclosure opposite the Exchange. Both these monuments of the past are inseparably connected with one of the most noticeable periods of our history, when we had as the representative of the British Crown a vigorous and able Governor who left his mark so indelibly upon what were considered then and are considered now, to be valuable public works, that it will be a long time before his name is forgotten. His portrait, with that of his wife, will be found in the Tasmanian Court, represented by two miniature paintings of Major-General Macquarie and Mrs. Macquarie. The Governor appears dressed in full regimentals, and Mrs. Macquarie wears the neat and simple dress of the period—1810-22.

Another exhibit of interest in the Tasmanian Court is some brown trout preserved whole in methylated spirit. Apparently the fish is no worse than it would appear to be a few hours after being withdrawn from its native element; but whether or not it could be eaten after having remained for some time in the spirit used to preserve it there is no means in the court of learning.

Some days ago we described the arrangements made by Mr. Wiesener, of George-street, to provide the means for having the correct time shown by clocks placed at various points in the Garden Palace. In addition to the clocks set up by Mr. Wiesener, is a large one which has been placed by Mr. John Cochran, of Darlington, on one of the landings which lead down to the refreshment room on the basement floor. This clock represents not only Sydney time but the time at Melbourne, at San Francisco, and at London. The different parts of the clock were made by the exhibitor, and from a photograph showing a view of the working of the hands it appears that there are four distinct sets of works in the clock case, each set corresponding with one of the pairs of hands on the dial plate.

The severe change in the weather on Saturday powerfully affected the musical recitals in the Garden Palace. Madame Summerhayes was, through sudden indisposition, unable to be present at the Brinsmead Piano Stand. M. Meilhan, whose health is unfortunately never too robust, was prevented by illness from giving his performance in the German Court. Signora Giorza's first appearance was announced, but from some unexplained cause the lady did not appear, and consequently the recital arranged by Mr. Paling, to exhibit the powers of the Erard pianos was, without notice, changed from 4 p.m. to 3 p.m. Our representative intending to be in good time, found at 3.45 that the "penultimate" of the programme, "Rhapsody Hongroise" Liszt was nearly finished. Miss Hyam played the "Pasquinade," by Gottschalk, in brilliant style, and from the remarks of many in the assembled crowd, the whole of her performance had given great satisfaction.

At the platform in front of the organ, Signori Ortori and Giorza played two movements of the famous sonata of Beethoven, dedicated to his friend Kreutzer. We have never heard this world-renowned composition so indifferently rendered; Signor Ortori had either over-tuned his violin, or played "sharp," though he knew the notes; Signor Giorza played most inaccurately, and with an utter disregard for the work of a musician of whom it has been truly said "that his ideal of art was the highest, and that he was true to his ideal—utterly and disinterestedly true to the end." All musicians know how foreign to the Italian school is that of the great Titan of the North, but, if his works are selected, they are entitled to the best interpretation that can be given. The distinguished Director of Music to the International Exhibition played "Les Cloches du Monastere," by Wely, with the easy grace which has for years marked this solo as one of his favourites; and gave his own transcription of Strauss's melodious "Blue Danube" irreproachably. Signor Ortori's violin solo afforded as great a contrast to the sonata in the rendering as in the subject chosen. A selection of airs from Verdi's "Aida," by Favilli, in which the fervid passion of the great air of the Egyptian captive in the first act was brought out with thrilling intensity, and the martial music given with vigour and character by the violin and piano. The vocal part of the concert was limited to two songs by Miss Florence Neville: this was the first time we have heard this lady at the Exhibition concerts. She has a clear soprano voice, with a decided but by no means unpleasing *tremolo*. Her first solo suffered from the very loud accompaniment; the piano was closed before the second, and Reichardt's well-known song, "Love's request," was sung with such good judgment and effect that the lady was compelled to repeat it.

Mr. Ezold, as agent (we believe) for the principal piano makers in the German Court, has arranged a grand opening recital to display the attractions of numerous instruments. Monsieur Meilhan, with Signor Ortori and a number of lady amateurs, will perform from 3 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. this day.

The admissions on Saturday were as follows:—Season-ticket holders, 436; general public, 4130; children, 692; exhibitors and others, 1313. Total, 6571.

SUNDAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—My brief remarks at the meeting in the Temperance Hall on Friday were somewhat misreported. I did not propose that "the committee should be charged with the prosecution of all offenders against the law in this respect." The committee was not in existence when I spoke. But I said that those who met there for the purpose of preventing the opening of the Garden Palace on Sunday ought to feel equally bound to form some permanent committee to prosecute offenders against the law by itinerant lecturers who open the theatres for sensational tirades against religion, charging so much for admission to pit and boxes for the entertainment.

If a manager of a theatre opened on Sunday for a play of the purest and most classic tone he would be fined, while his house may be hired and opened for the vilest and lowest trash by male and female spouters who openly break the law.

For my part, I should prefer the drama.

Mr. Vicars, in to-day's *Herald*, suggests the innocence of allowing the people to worship God through His works in the Garden Palace on Sunday. But other "people" would have to work for the gratification of those "people," who ought to let their brothers rest and attend the Palace during the week.

Yours faithfully,
ZACHARY BARRY, LL.D.

THE DUPLICATE CABLE. — The Western Australian correspondent of the *S. A. Register* writes:—Communications have been received from the Chief Secretaries of New South Wales and Victoria, soliciting this colony to reverse its decision and contribute its share to the cost of the duplicate cable between Singapore and Port Darwin. His Excellency the Governor has recommended the Legislature to agree to the proposal, regard being had to the advantages which would be derived from the proposed duplication, and the comparatively small expense which it would entail on the colony, viz., £367 per annum; and the House has passed the vote.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately-flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctor's bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette*. Sold only in packets labelled—JAMES EPPS and Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London. ADVT.

MITRED MOUNTEBANKS and LAY and SURPLICED LUNACY.

Mr. David Buchanan, M.L.A., delivered an address on Saturday night, at the Temperance Hall, choosing for his subject "Mitred mountebanks and lay and surpliced lunacy in contention with sound principle and common sense." The hall was crowded, and a large number of persons, who could not obtain seats, congregated around the doors. On the platform were Mr. John Davies, M.L.A.; Mr. J. Hurley (Hartley), M.L.A.; Mr. J. Shepherd, M.L.A.; the Hon. J. B. Wilson, Messrs. I. Josephson, A. Cane, P. R. Holdsworth, W. Hezlett, D. M'Beath, A. Newman, and others.

The Hon. JOHN STEWART, M.L.C., occupied the chair, and he said that the meeting had been convened for the purpose of hearing an address from Mr. Buchanan on the subject of education. Before calling upon that gentleman, he would take leave to remind the meeting of one or two facts. He referred to the establishment of the Public school system, and to the satisfaction which it had given. He then remarked that the people, the Parliament, and the leaders of public opinion were satisfied with the schools, but had been recently told that they were an imposition, and instead of them being suitable for children to be taught to read and write in, they were becoming places in which children were taught immorality, lawlessness, infidelity, and other vile things calculated to debase the standard of human excellence. This, be it remembered, was said on the 25th of last July, a day after Parliament had closed. It was a serious charge to make against one of the most valued institutions in the colony. It came upon the people by surprise, and excited emotion all over the colony. (Hear, hear.) If the people had been suddenly plainly told that they were all scoundrels and villains they could scarcely have been more astonished. The Archbishop of the Roman Catholic Church in Sydney thought to pacify them by issuing a few more pastorals, but in formulating his thought he had been greatly mistaken. Finding this to be the case he called to his assistance a magnificent orator. It was a pity to see this gentleman under the circumstances, for many persons thought better things of him. However, Mr. Dalley had responded to the call made upon him, and his efforts had not been very successful. The people would not be quieted until these reverend slanderers could be called upon to prove the truth of what they alleged. It surely was the duty of some members of the Legislature to call for a select committee and to summons these gentlemen before them to ascertain on what ground their slanders were based. It was impossible to say what these gentlemen might do next. They might slander the people and their institutions still further. If they could sustain the truth of their allegations let the State reform its schools. If they could not do so, let the slanderers be punished. He would not detain them any longer, but would call upon Mr. Buchanan to proceed with his address.

Mr. BUCHANAN, who was received with prolonged cheering, said that they had no doubt observed that when Mr. Dalley or Archbishop Vaughan expressed their views in public, they received marked attention from the Press—(hear, hear)—the leading journal awarding thirteen columns to the one and nine columns to the other—privileges which were out of all proportion to the value of these gentlemen's utterances. He did not anticipate so much attention, but he would have the satisfaction of conclusively proving, in the estimation of the meeting, the overthrow of all that either of those gentlemen had ever said—(hear, hear)—and he dared to say that they would have the extreme satisfaction of passing, by the unanimous vote of that very large meeting, a resolution entirely condemnatory of another farthing of the State's money being spent in the support of Denominational schools. (Cheers.) Mr. Dalley had the character of being a man of great accomplishments. He did not deny the truth of this, although his opinion was moderate in comparison with that of other persons on the subject, and he always carried with him the thought of the mental disability or defect that accompanied every man who seriously believed in such a creed as that of Rome. He used the word "seriously" because thousands of persons who pretended to believe in that creed did not believe in it at all. The man who seriously stated that he believed in the monstrosities of such a creed had a serious mental defect about him. Mr. Dalley had opened his address with an unmanly whine as to the treatment the Catholics were receiving. He complained of their being insulted. ("He lies.") He probably referred to criticisms on their religious and political views. Now, whatever was exhibited for the acceptation of human belief was subject the moment it was offered to the severest ordeal of human criticism. Moreover, just in proportion as a man was devoted to the truth was he bound to go forward on all occasions, and with all his might denounce that which he believed to be a wrong and an unmitigated falsehood. There could not be a more scandalous libel than that of Archbishop Vaughan's, which denounced the Public schools as seed plots of immorality, lawlessness, and crime. A more scandalous falsehood was never uttered. (Loud cheers.) Did Mr. Dalley for one moment suppose that the ladies and gentlemen, the fathers and mothers of the children attending the Public schools, could sit tamely by and listen to the foul, false, scandalous libel which this Archbishop Vaughan had launched at their heads. When Archbishop Vaughan uttered this libel against the Public school system, he uttered a wicked and unjustifiable lie. (Cheers.) He furthermore perpetrated a gross and foul insult on the people who regarded the schools as doing an incalculable amount of good in the country, and, therefore, he and those who believed in him need expect no quarter if it came to that sort of thing. If they commenced to use this sort of language and lived in such miserable glass houses, they must not be surprised if their tenements were shattered. No sooner did Mr. Dalley utter his whine about the supposed ill-treatment of Catholics than he commenced to sneer at those gentlemen who were on the side of the secularists. And never did he do anything with less foundation. Who did he sneer at? There was Dr. Kelynack, to begin with. He would challenge Mr. Dalley, or any of his lay or clerical supporters to deliver anything equal in point of eloquence to the utterances of that gentleman. To compare Mr. Dalley's washy remonstrance with the profound and scholarly deliverances of Dr. Kelynack was preposterous. Then they had the Rev. Mr. Jefferis. Would any one say that his scholarly treatment of the subject was a theme for the sneers of such a man as Mr. Dalley? ("No, no.") Any gentlemen who read Mr. Jefferis' speech and compared it with Mr. Dalley's nine columns in the *Herald* would not hesitate to place Mr. Jefferis' on a pedestal high out of sight of that upon which Mr. Dalley stood. The only other gentleman who had appeared on the Sydney platform was the Rev. Pastor Allen, an honest truthful man, who, in point of refinement and culture, was quite equal to the Father Gilhooleys and Father Mulcahys of the other side—(prolonged laughter)—who were Mr. Dalley's spiritual guides, to say nothing of that highly classical body, the Bishop of Bathurst. (Laughter.) If some of Mr. Dalley's spiritual guides could write their own names, it was as much as they could do. And yet Mr. Dalley, surrounded by the lowest type of Irish priests, sneered at those clergymen whose names he had mentioned. Another remarkable feature in this extraordinary address of Mr. Dalley's was the references to toleration. How dare any Papist take such a word in his mouth? That gentleman belonged to a Church that was the most intolerant institution in the world—(hear, hear)—a Church which, when it was in the majority, prohibited all other worship than that which it taught itself. All Protestantism was stopped in Rome and in Spain by it, and Protestants could not even bury their dead in the towns there. And yet Mr. Dalley, with an insensibility to the character of the Church to which he belonged, put the word "toleration" in his mouth. ("He does not know what it means.") Supposing that New South Wales was a dependency of a Catholic power, and had a Catholic Governor, and that out of the seventy-two members in its Legislature only eight were Protestants, what toleration would the people get then? The Catholic Church would force its system down the people's throats, would prohibit their right to worship in their own way, would put them down by violence. It had resorted to such courses in other countries. Tracing Mr. Dalley's utterances a little farther, there was nothing he was more horrified or shocked at, than that gentleman's eulogy of the Jesuits. Mr. Dalley, in one paragraph, after extolling their praises to the highest point, stated that they had blessed every portion of the globe on which they had resided—("Cursed it he meant,")—why every one knew that "Jesuitism" had become an English word. And what did it mean? Fraud, deception, double-dealing, and lieing—(cheers)—and not only so, but the Jesuits had adopted a system by which every crime in the calendar, from murder downwards, might be extenuated and pleaded as a virtue. (Hear, hear.) They had made themselves detested in Europe, and Catholic Governments had expelled them from Catholic capitals. What could Mr. Dalley say to that? What could he say to their being expelled from Rome, Austria, France, and Spain, not by Protestants, but by Catholics—and expelled for their monstrous designs against self-government and civil society. Their immoralities were so gross that they could not be tolerated, and the result now of their conduct was that they obtained no footing or recognition in any capital in Europe. What could have taken hold of Mr. Dalley when he could go before an intelligent Sydney audience, and tell them that the Jesuits blessed every spot on earth which they visited! It might be thought that he had exaggerated the bad character of the Jesuits, in giving a description of it—he but spoke the opinion of enlightened Europe. They had been destroyed in England, and would never get a footing there again. He had uttered the opinions of two very distinguished men on the subject. One of those was Thomas Mr. Carlyle, who beyond all doubt, was the most distinguished living intellect. The other was General Garibaldi, the purest minded public man in Europe. Garibaldi had addressed a letter to him, which ran as follows:—

"Caprera, 16th March, 1870.

"My dear Buchanan,—The principal obstacle to human progress is the Romish priest, and those who think civilization will destroy him easily are mistaken. An impure emanation of evil in the human family, he is like that herb that spreads the more you apparently destroy it. Look at the Jesuits, hated, insulted, trampled upon, and expelled from every city in Europe—they are at present the absolute masters of the Pope and his imbeciles, and in France they are all-powerful. It is a pity that a generous people like the Irish should fail to see that the Romish priest is the main cause of their abasement, their misery, and their degradation.

"I trust you will not suffer the presence of this human reptile in your beautiful and virgin country; and if any one says there must be liberty to all, answer him that you will not give liberty to vipers, assassins, and crocodiles—and the Jesuit priest is worse than any or all of these.

"Yours ever sincerely, "G. GARIBALDI."

The writer of that was not like Mr. Dalley. (Laughter.) He had lived amongst Catholics all his life. He was an Italian, who knew what he was saying, and thoroughly knew the men he was speaking about. He had found Popery to be the principal down-drag of his country. Knowing the enormous insight he had had into the Jesuitical system his language was not surprising. There was no mistaking his language, and there was no doubting his knowledge. (Hear, hear.) He saw eighteen millions of his countrymen unable to read and write. He saw the priest constituting the government, the judge, the prosecutor, and the educator. He saw the people growing up in absolute ignorance and crime going unpunished, and he saw the priest taking bribes in order that criminals might not be prosecuted. Well might Archbishop Vaughan quote the statistics of Rome under a secular Government to show that crime was more frequent there than it used to be. That gentleman forgot that crime was just beginning to be punished there. Hitherto the amount the Church received from brigandage had been surprising. Ninety-nine out of a hundred criminals used to go free. If a robbery was committed half the proceeds was given to the Church, and the Church took care that nothing was said about the matter, while priestly prosecutors saw that the criminals went free. Garibaldi knew all this. He saw his nation cursed and ruined by this Popery, and he devoted his life to the active denunciation of priest craft, wherever it appeared. Then Carlyle, the man who would die sooner than utter what was not true—than whom no greater friend to truth ever lived—whose brilliant genius burned in England with all its original lustre, who in other countries—France and Germany—was referred to as a man of the most powerful and splendid intellect; what did he say. They had heard Mr. Dalley affirm that the Jesuits blessed every spot they visited. They should now hear what Mr. Carlyle had to say concerning them. (Cheers.) "So it may be said these current, and now happily moribund times of ours are worthy to be called, in loose language, the age of Jesuitism,—an epoch whose Palinurus is the wretched mortal known among men as Ignatius Loyola. For some two centuries the genius of mankind has been dominated by the gospel of Ignatius, perhaps the strangest, and certainly the most fatal, ever preached hitherto under the sun. To me this Loyola seems historically definable as the poison fountain from which those rivers of falsehood and bitterness that now submerge the world have flowed. Under this thrice Stygian gospel of Jesuitism the Papist has this long while sat; a doctrine of devils I do think, if there ever was one, and are now, ever since 1789, with endless misery and astonishment, confusedly awakening out of the same, uncertain whether towards swift agony of social death, or towards slow martyrdom of recovery into spiritual and social life. Jesuitism and its many Popish supporters who have believed the falsehood of it; universal prevalence, from pole to pole of such a doctrine of devils; reverent faith in the dead human formulas, and somnolent contempt of the divine ever living facts; who will deliver us from the body of this death, a living criminal (as in the old Roman days) with a corpse lashed fast to him. What wretch could have deserved such a doom. Jesuitism, centuries ago, gave satisfaction to the devil's advocate, the Pope and other parties interested. Its founder was canonized, named saint, and raised duly into Heaven, officially so-called; whereupon, with many, he passes ever since for a kind of god. Alas! the admiration of mankind goes a strange road in these times. A poor man, in our day, has many gods foisted on him, and big voices bid him worship or be damned in a menacing and confusing manner. What shall he do? By far the greater part of said gods, cannonized by the Pope, are mere dumb sticks and stones, and, occasionally, beatified prize oxen; nay, some of them who have articulate faculty are devils instead of gods. If Ignatius, worshipped by millions as a kind of god, is, in eternal fact, a kind of devil or enemy of whatsoever is god-like in man's existence, surely it is pressingly expedient that men were made aware of it—that men, with whatever earnestness is yet in them, laid it awfully to heart. Of Jesuitism, then, I must take leave to say, there can this be recorded, that probably it has done more mischief on the earth than all else put together. A scandalous mortal, O brethren, of mankind, who live by truth and not by falsity, I call its founder. Frantic mortal, wilt thou at the bidding of any Pope war against Almighty God? Is there no inspiration then but a Romish one, with big revenues, loud liturgies and red stockings? Quench not among us, I advise thee, the monitions of that thrice sacred gospel, holier than all gospels which dwells in each man direct from the maker of him the knowledge of right and wrong. The principles of Jesuitism are hateful, and even hellish. To cherish pious thoughts and assiduously keep your eye directed to a heaven that is not real—will that yield divine life to you or hideous galvanic life in death. To cherish many quasi-human virtues, and wed them all to the principle that God can be served by believing what is not true; to put out the sacred lamp of intellect within you; to decide on maiming yourself of that higher god-like gift which God himself has given you with a silent but awful charge in regard to it; to be bullied and bow-woowed out of your loyalty to the God of light by big phantasms and three-hatted chimeras. Can I call that by the name of nobleness and human courage. This country has been tolerably cleared of Jesuits proper by earnest pious thought and fight, and the labours of the valiant born to us, nor is there any danger of their ever coming to a head here again. But, alas, the expulsion of the Jesuit body avails us little, when the Jesuit soul has so nestled itself in the heart of mankind. What we have to complain of is, that most men have become Jesuits! That few men speak truth to you or to themselves, and with blasphemous audacity pretend not to know that they are lying. This is the fell heritage bequeathed to us by Jesuitism: to this sad stage has our battle with it come. Men had served the devil, and men had very imperfectly served God, but to think that God could be served more perfectly by taking the devil into partnership—this was reserved for Jesuitism to effect. Words fail us when we would speak of what the Jesuits have done for men. Probably the most virulent form of sin which the old servant has yet rejoiced in on our poor earth. For me it is the deadliest high treason against God our Maker which the soul of man could commit. The heart of the world is corrupted to the core by it, a detestable devil's poison circulates in the life blood of mankind through it, and taints with an abominable deadly malady all that mankind do. Such is Jesuitism, the greatest curse that ever fell on men." (Cheers.) In writing like that Carlyle had no interest except to serve the human race. His whole literary labours proved him to be the purest patriot, as well as the soundest philosopher. No one could read his works without being struck with the deep earnest truth which pervaded them. When he wrote this about the Jesuits, he knew very well what he was about. So much for the beginning of Mr. Dalley's long speech. When that gentleman came to the subject of education, what did he say? That the Catholics constituted a third of the community, and were entitled to one third of the education vote. Supposing that to be the case, would the Catholics, from whose ranks was supplied a half of the criminals of the country, pay half the cost of maintaining them. (Laughter and cheers.) He did not think he was out in this matter. He had had occasion to know something about it. Half of the criminal population was Roman Catholic. Was the small Roman Catholic portion of the community prepared to subscribe half of the police vote, half of the gaol expenses, and half the cost of the machinery by which these scoundrels were brought to justice? The Press had argued and maintained a thousand times that the State takes no cognizance of sect. People were taxed as citizens, and it was the height of presumption and of folly for any particular sect to say they wanted their share of public money to spend as they liked. Such a proposition was untenable and absurd, and insolent. What would it lead to? Chinamen were pretty numerous in the colony, and they would come forward and say that they would have their share of the education vote whatever it was. The god worshipped in the Chinese joss house was made of wood. That worshipped in the Roman Catholic joss house was made of flour and water. (Loud laughter and prolonged cheers) which was the most barbarous of the two. The Chinese could not swallow their god—(laughter)—but the Roman Catholic could swallow and digest theirs and otherwise dispose of it. (Laughter.) Was he speaking the truth or was he not? ("The truth," and cheers.) Then other sects—the Buddhists, the Mahommedans, the Jews, and even the Infidels, would arise—(hear, hear)—to claim their share of the education vote, and if Mr. Dalley's views were carried out the State would be subsidizing the Buddhists, the Romanists, the Infidels, and all other conflicting and extraordinary creeds with the money of New South Wales. A system of public education was already established in the colony, and he had always argued that it should be of a secular character only, and that if the State imparts education it must be secular, and secular only. And this did not imply that religion was to be ignored. The State would say that it had the greatest possible regard for religion, but that in a community like that of New South Wales could not undertake to teach it. There were a variety of sects, therefore, it would propose to leave to the Churches, the Sabbath-schools, and the parents of the children the duty of imparting instruction in religion. If the community was composed of only one sect he would still object to religion being taught in schools, because schools were not proper places for it to be taught in. The noise, the levity, and the bustle of a schoolroom were not calculated to inspire religious feelings, or to promote religious principles. The accomplishments of reading, writing, and doing arithmetic were incalculable advantages to the community, and the State should rely upon the clergy of the various Churches, the teachers in the Sabbath schools, and the parents to inculcate doctrines and belief in creeds in the minds of the children. Could the common sense of the meeting, or the whole community suggest any more rational course? (Hear, hear.) This subsidising of Denominational schools would lead to the subsidising of every conceivable creed, and therefore it would lead to a system so monstrous that men of intelligence could not tolerate it with patience. Besides State-aid to religion had been abolished in the colony—(hear, hear)—and that being accomplished by Act of Parliament, and the fact being recognised as one of the great political principles of the colony, how could it be said that it was right to teach religion in the schools with the money of the State? If they agreed to such a course they would be guilty of the most glaring inconsistency. Archbishop Vaughan had said that the Public schools were seed plots of immorality, infidelity, lawlessness, and crime. It was not certain that a criminal information should not be laid against him for doing so. He would like very well to see him get six months' hard labour—(hear, hear, and laughter)—on the roads for his scandalous libels. And there was not a man on the roads more deserving of it. (Cheers.) He would tell that gentleman that he had not done with those libels yet, and that he would have more and more rough things said of him than ever; and that this gross insult to the men and women of New South Wales would not be forgotten. (Cheers.) The arrogance and insolence of these inflated Papists might do well enough for the crouching slaves, who knelt at their feet and degraded themselves by kneeling; but freemen would never submit to them. The Archbishop might think that he was dealing with this kind of slaves, but he would tell him from that platform that his conduct would never be forgotten, and that until he was awarded a due and proper punishment, no apology that he chose to snivel out day after day would absolve him. (Cheers.) A more shallow impostor, as an intellectual man, had never come amongst the community—a man whose whole statements were a mass of incoherency, as well as inconsistency—a man who had been laughed to scorn by every paper in the country, and who was now writhing under the artistic handling of the Press. This man had said that the children sent to the Public schools would be turned out infidels. Why, the moral lessons of the Scripture were taught in those schools. He waived that, however, to test the accuracy of this man's logic. Suppose that nothing was taught in the schools but reading, writing, and arithmetic, the priests still had fifty-two days in the year, during which they might cram their children with all their fables and all their dogmas. Just see the meaning of this Archbishop's statement—that notwithstanding that they had fifty-two days for teaching religion, the mere teaching of reading, writing, and arithmetic, wiped out all the instruction they imparted. Was it not monstrous that such rubbish should be written by these upstarts, dressed in a little brief authority, and playing such fantastic tricks before high heaven. (Cheers.) Why, a baby would laugh at them. And what connection was there between the teaching of reading, writing, and arithmetic, and infidelity? It was just simple nonsense that was unworthy of the serious attention of any one. These men, by their arguments, showed what they wanted. They did not care two straws about the education of the children. (Cheers.) They wanted the money, and Bishop Barker and Bishop Moorhouse did not see that. The thickness of the butter which the Archbishop was spreading on the bread of those gentlemen was amazing. And yet they did not see it. These Papists had no purpose or object in view but to grapple with a third of the £345,000, the greater part of which, if they got it, would go to line the pockets and stomachs of the priests. It was well known what they had done with public money when they had charge of it in other countries. They neglected the children. Their purpose here was not the education of children. It was aggrandisement, and to see the money of the State used for enlarging the confines of Romanism. Just see the scandalous waste of money which would be entailed by the course they advocated being adopted. Apart from the nonsensical views of these gentlemen just look at the fearful extravagance and expense the State was landed in in supporting Denominational schools. He went to the office of the Council of Education the other day to obtain some statistics, and he found that in ninety-four places there was in each a Public school that would meet the whole educational requirements of the locality. Instead of the bill supporting each Public school properly, it permitted the existence of two and sometimes three Denominational schools alongside it. This injured it and the Denominational schools also. It created four feeble inefficient schools, where one efficient vigourous school would do all that was necessary. And look at the enormous expense. Instead of having to pay the salaries of ninety-four teachers the State had to pay those of a hundred and eighty-eight. The State could not bear this sort of thing much longer. It was a pernicious part of the enactment which provided for the support of Denominational schools by the State, and it must be repealed, for the Public school was effective for every necessary purpose. They had been called enemies of religion. They were nothing of the kind. (Hear, hear.) What they aspired to was the education of the whole of the people, and they maintained that the best way to accomplish that was to establish secular schools in which the children of all sects might have the seeds of information implanted in them. Did they imagine that the Churches were idle, that the Sabbath schools were idle, and that the parents of the children were idle? Had they not the most perfect assurance that the religious wants of the children were met in the Church, the Sabbath school, and the homes of the parent. If they were satisfied on this point, how could people call them the enemies of religion. They were the friends of the people trying to prevent their money being expended on the promotion of Buddhism, Mahomedanism, and other 'isms. And the people's money would be spent in that way if they allowed Mr. Dalley's and Archbishop Vaughan's views to have effect. How could the intelligence of the people tolerate such things. (Cheers.) When Archbishop Vaughan's first Pastoral appeared, it evoked an universal howl of disgust from one end of the country to the other. It was torn to shreds, as he had said, by every paper in the community. Public meetings were held, and speakers volunteered to come forward to cut the ground from under the Archbishop's feet. The Archbishop in his next Pastoral said—and his insolence seemed absolutely sublime—(laughter)—that the reason for this commotion was, that the people were dazed by the Catholic truths they had heard from him. (Loud laughter). He would ask the reverend gentleman if it was the spectacle of the mean slave at the foot of the priest, a poor sinful worm like himself—one sinner asking forgiveness from another—or was it the picture of infallibility or of priestly knaves, chuckling when their system was consummated, or the picture of the infallible old lunatic who, after claiming infallibility, was seized with a fit of the gout and carried to his bed a picture of human weakness, or was it the spectacle of sane men standing up for freedom and liberty of conscience, that he wished them to admire as illustrative of Catholic truth? Were these the Catholic truths that had dazed the people? The Archbishop must have estimated the intellect of the people of this colony at a very low rate if he supposed that they did not know what his system was. The people knew that the children would leave his system of elaborate lies, and would leave his schools too, if they were left to themselves. There was not a greater obstruction to the people's rights than the atrocity of which this gentleman was the head here. (Cheers.) A great deal was said about the teaching of religion. It was surprising that the Denominational school teacher should be considered the only oracle that could teach religion. Denominationalists did not seem to imagine that the clergymen and the Sabbath school teacher could do what was necessary in the matter. And as to maternal teaching he would tell them that on one occasion he heard a mother reading her son a homily on immorality. The son was only twelve years of age, and he told his mother that if she had vagabond sons they would remain vagabonds still, but that if she transmitted to them her own honour, and that of her husband, nothing in the world would contaminate them. That boy knew more of human nature than Vaughan and Barker and Moorhouse put together. You could not teach children belief. The existence of faith was a miracle, and every person who was converted must undergo the same operation as the Apostle Paul when he was converted. Belief was the gift of God, and it was all in vain for these shallow minded priests to think they could impart it at will. (Cheers.) It was infused into the heart and soul of man in a thousand different ways. Archbishop Vaughan thought that his effort to gain Bishop Barker over to his cause was a mighty one. Did he imagine that the Protestants of this country were slaves, and did he forget that the leading principle of Protestantism was the right of private judgment? Did he think that if he had twenty Bishop Barkers as his back he would gain one Protestant worthy of the name? Did he think that he was dealing with the slaves of Ireland? Did he imagine that if he gained over Bishop Barker he would gain a solitary adherent of that gentleman? He would make the Archbishop a present of Dr. Barker and of all that gentleman's clergy, and yet the whole of the people of the Church of England would remain sound to the core. Insolence of this kind should be met by the earnest condemnation of all true men. It was frightful that this hydra-headed monster which had been attacked and defeated in every other enlightened country, should rear its infamous ugly head here; and he trusted there were men enough in the colony to trample it under foot. (Loud cheers.) What was their policy to be? Archbishop Vaughan had spoken about fighting the matter out at the elections. Let him do so. (Hear, hear.) If these Papists went into Parliament and voted in a body at the dictation of priests, they dishonoured the Parliament, and should be deprived of the franchise. They were not freemen, and no slave should be allowed to enter a free Parliament. If there was to be a struggle let free people organize, let them unite. They were the authors of secular education, the authors of the principles that permeated the liberal minds of England. For Mr. Dalley to say that Mr. Forster and Mr. Lowe had been favourable to Denominationalism, was to say that those gentlemen had advocated a policy which they thought would lift them into office. If the exigencies of office induced Mr. Forster and Mr. Lowe to play falsely to catch the Irish vote, they were to be despised for yielding to them, and the day was not far distant when a reaction would take place, and the Nonconformists of England would teach those gentlemen a lesson they would not forget. It was to be hoped that the people of this country would not do wrong because wrong had been done in England. A strong effort was to be made here by an invasion of Jesuits. Let them come. The people here would deal with them as effectually as the people of England did. He would ask the friends of secular education to unite hand in hand, to base their union and action upon an unalterable regard for the great principle of secularism, and to labour devotedly in the cause. The country would then see a large and influential party, devoted to a great and true principle, marching on—not behind, but in front of all other parties, bearing a free and enlightened policy on their banners, and remaining undismayed by the violence of prating bigots, or the selfishness of designing knaves. (Prolonged and loud cheering.)

Mr. J. HURLEY, M.L.A., said that he had been entrusted with a resolution which he believed would receive unanimous support. It was as follows:—"That in the opinion of this meeting all pecuniary aid from the State to Denominational schools should be abolished without delay;" and he begged to move it.

Mr. P. R. HOLDSWORTH seconded the motion with much pleasure. It was then put, and carried unanimously, with acclamation.

Mr. J. DAVIES, M.L.A., proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Buchanan.

Mr. W. HEZLETT seconded the motion, which was carried with acclamation.

Mr. BUCHANAN appropriately thanked the meeting for its kind expression of opinion concerning his remarks, and he asked them to return a vote of thanks to the chairman for his good offices during the evening. His solicitation was heartily responded to, and the meeting was then dissolved.

A gang of swindlers (says the *Times* of August 29) has been at work in Manchester and Leeds. They have adopted the old plan of getting small cheques from parties having banking accounts for remittances, on the plea of being too late to get a post-office order, or else manage by plausible representations to obtain blank cheques. These cheques they either alter by means of chemicals or forge upon, and bankers thereby suffer loss.

THE TAMWORTH CONSPIRACY CASE.

An extraordinary charge of conspiracy against four men (one of whom was an ex-constable), was tried on the 14th and 15th of October, before his Honor Sir William Manning, at Tamworth, and resulted in a conviction. The particulars were given in brief in our telegraphic news a few days ago. From the lengthy report in the local journal we give the following:—

William Couch, Edward Dawson, Thomas Wells, and Thomas Brann, were charged with having conspired to deprive one Ah Saw, of his name, fame, and reputation, that they caused the said Ah Saw to be imprisoned for twelve months, on a charge of sheep stealing; and further, to obtain from the Peel River Company £100.

One of the principal witnesses was William M'Millan, who said: I am a labourer, living at Nundle, and knew prisoner Couch; he was lock-up keeper at Nundle in July, 1878; about a fortnight or three weeks after Ah Saw was taken up Couch said to me, near M'Clelland's hotel, that there was £100 reward for any one stealing the company's sheep, and if I would assist him he would give me half the reward; there was a Chinaman, Ah Saw, who had been in the lock-up for stealing gold; and as he had been in the lock-up, it would be a good chance to put a sheep in his hut, and thus get the £100 reward; if I would assist him in catching the sheep, he would put it in the hut, arrest the Chinaman, get him convicted, and I should have half the reward; but he would not want me to go as a witness: I did not say whether I would go or not, but I left him and went to M'Clelland's; some few days after this I was at M'Clelland's with Cuthbert Willis, on the verandah; Couch came up and asked me if I would do it; I made some excuse that I had to go away, and could not go with him; he took Willis aside, and I followed up, as Willis and I were great friends; Couch told Willis the same as he had told me about the £100 reward, and asked Willis to help him catch the sheep; recollect Couch at one time saying that if one of us helped him he would give half the reward, and if both, a third of it; I heard of the Chinaman being arrested, on the morning after he was arrested; Couch was there, and I think Willis; Couch said, "What do you think, our lark has come true;" that he had arrested the same Chinaman that the lark was to be played on, for stealing a sheep which he thought was one of Williams and Hole's; and that he had had a rough night of it; I said, "How did you manage to catch him," and he replied, I was coming from Bowling Alley, past the Chinaman's; there was a light in the hut, and some pigs making a row; when the pigs rushed, the light was put out; he then went into the hut, and saw a sheep hanging up, and that the Chinaman rushed at him; he then searched about and got two sheepskins under the bed; that he then arrested the Chinaman on a charge of stealing Williams and Hole's sheep; I told Couch I did not believe him, and he answered, "It is true; but for God's sake don't say anything about what we were talking about, as it would cook me, or get me into trouble."

Another witness named Cuthbert Willis stated:—In July 1878, I was living at Nundle, and knew a Chinaman, named Ah Saw, who was arrested for sheep stealing; about a week, perhaps, before the arrest I had a conversation with Couch, at M'Clelland's Inn, where I was stopping with M'Millan: Couch called me behind the inn; Leslie was there and M'Clelland, but I do not recollect if M'Millan was there; Couch asked me if I "was on for a bit of a rise," and I said, "yes, if I can get it"; he then said the P. R. Co. would give £100 to anybody proving the stealing of their sheep, and asked me if I would help him to catch a sheep out of the Company's paddock, and he would give me half the reward, and would come that evening; I told him I did not know, but I'd let him know in the eveing; he came again in the evening to me and McMillan and asked if we would help him to catch one of the sheep; I said I could not go that night, and I do not know what answer M'Millan made; Couch said he would put it in the Chinaman's hut; all he wanted us to do was to help him catch the sheep; he would arrest the Chinaman, the same one that was in the lock-up for stealing washdirt; at the time I was ploughing the police paddock; the next night Couch came again and repeated his offer; we said we would not go as we were tired and had no horses; he said he would go and catch a couple of the police horses, but we refused to go at all; a night or two afterwards he came again and asked us to come, saying there was a nice moon, and he would get a pint of rum for us to drink on the road; he got it and set it down; I put it away and we did not go; afterwards he came to me alone and asked me to go with him, and I said I would not, as I would be sure to get into trouble.

John Webster, a grazier, remembered the night Ah Saw was arrested; on that occasion he saw Couch and Dawson together, and watched their proceedings; he saw them driving some sheep; in the meantime he looked into a bag they had left and saw two sheepskins in it; shortly afterwards saw Dawson and Couch driving some sheep down the hill to a corner of the river; Dawson rushed in and caught one; saw Dawson holding a sheep, and Couch came up and take the sheep from him; Dawson went after his horse, and Couch held the sheep in the meantime; Dawson rode to Couch, who handed the sheep up on to the horse; it was a live sheep; Dawson carried it on the front of his saddle; they then rode down into the river and got out of the paddock; they went up about three miles along the same side of the river, to Mount Oswald, about half-a-mile above Ah Saw's place; I saw Dawson about 9 o'clock next morning, and said to him, "What did you do with the mutton last night?" and he said, "What do you know about the mutton?" told him what he had seen; Dawson said they had taken the sheep to the Chinaman's place, above Wyman Brown's place, put it in the house, and as he walked out Couch came in and arrested the Chinaman; Dawson said they half-skinned the sheep before they put it in the Chinaman's hut; he said "the Chow won't know me again; its no odds about a Chinaman getting into it—they are never sent to Berrima, nor a blackfellow, because they go out of their minds."

The overseer of the Peel River Company, James Macnamara, said Couch had caught a Chinaman killing a sheep which he believed belonged to the company, and had arrested him; he saw the carcase of a sheep and some sheepskins, one having the head on he recognized by the ear-marks. The witness then deposed: On the 31st July there were sheep running in the paddock which would correspond with the one Couch had; before I went out to the Chinaman's I had been a second time to the lockup, where I saw Thomas M'Clelland; we came down towards Alexander M'Clelland's hotel; on the way Couch asked me if the £100 reward was still standing; I said it was; he then asked me if I thought Mr. King would pay the reward for one single sheep; I replied he would pay as much for one as for a hundred or a thousand; I went to Goonoo Goonoo, made a report, and came into Tamworth; I got a message from Mr. Irving to tell Couch to bring the Chinaman into Tamworth to have a hearing, which message I delivered; Couch said "All right;" I saw him again in Tamworth about the 4th or 5th of August; I had not seen him before; I was present at the hearing; Mr. King, Hannaford, Couch, and myself were the witnesses; neither Dawson, Wells, nor Brann were then called; the skin and head were produced, but not the carcase; the Quarter Sessions were going on, and Couch said he wanted to get the case on at that Court; the case did not come on at that Court; I remember it coming on at the Circuit Court last October; Mr. King, Hannaford, Couch, and I, and Dawson, Wells, and Brann gave evidence; the head and the two skins were produced; I was examined before Dawson, Wells, and Brann; I heard what Brann said; I was in the Court; he said on the evening of the 31st July Dawson came to his place to borrow a horse to carry his wife to Nundle; he (Brann), Wells, and Dawson went up to Long Gully to look for this horse, and going along they heard some dogs barking; they went down and saw the Chinaman, Ah Saw, with a rope tied to a sheep, leading it, and some dogs, and the Chinaman said to them, "Dogs been bite um sheep;" Brann said the dogs were driving the sheep; he said a man on a ridge close by was driving seven or eight more sheep, but he galloped away and left the sheep when he saw them; Brann said it was too dark, and he could not tell who it was; I saw Brann sworn; I was in Court when Wells was sworn in the same way; Wells said he went with Dawson and Brann. In the course of his examination, this witness said:—"Couch never said a word to me about Dawson, Wells, and Brann before the trial, and I was surprised to see them giving any evidence; up to this time Couch and I were in constant communication; we never spoke after the trial of Ah Saw; I had taken a strong view of the case, and determined to find out the truth." Thomas M'Clelland, in the course of his evidence, stated:—I said to Couch, "Were there any marks of blood on the Chinaman?" and Couch said "he didn't look;" he said, "Will you go into the lock-up to see if there were any marks of blood on the Chinaman's clothes;" Couch and I went into Ah Saw's cell, and Couch showed me a trousers and a shirt, which were lying in the corner of the cell, and which he said were the Chinaman's; they were wet, and there was bloodmarks above the knees of the trousers and on the shirt; about an hour and a half elapsed between the conversation about the marks and my seeing the clothes; Couch did not leave me during that time; the Chinaman muttered something, I don't know what, when Couch showed me the clothes.

The evidence of Mr. W. Browne, magistrate and clerk of Petty Sessions at Nundle, went to show that he had known Ah Saw for twelve or fourteen years, and was positive that the Chinaman was physically incapable of carrying a sheep across the river; he had been sick for months, and was too weak to work: on the night of the day of the committal of the prisoners for conspiracy Mr. Browne was overtaken by Brann, and they had some conversation about the case; the latter said it looked a very black case against them, as the evidence came out at the Police Court; and he said, "If I get out of this I'll take care to keep out of the Court in future;" he further said, "it's those statements of Ted's (Dawson) that 'cooked' us."

Ah Saw deposed: I know Couch, lockupkeeper at Nundle; I remember Couch coming to my hut; I was sick then; no one was with him then; this was inside the hut; he brought two sheepskins there, one had one part of it cut off; one was a skin with meat on it; it looked like a dead sheep; it was dark, and I was lying on my bed; I struck a match and saw the lockup keeper, who said, "Who gave you this sheepskin?" I said "No one;" the lockup keeper (Couch) said, "Some of your countrymen gave you these skins;" I said "No;" the lockup keeper brought in a bottle, and I had a drink; he took me outside about 300 or 400 yards, and I saw a man with two horses; I could not see the man's face, it was very dark; Couch said I was to ride one horse; I was taken to Nundle, and fell down two or three times on the road; I rode one horse, and the other two men rode the other horse; it rained all night—all the way from Bowling Alley Point to Nundle; my coat and trousers were wet; there was no blood on them when we got to the lock-up; he took my coat, shirt, and trousers off and said he would give them back; he gave me another clothes all the three or four days; I know Macnamar and M'Clelland; they came to the lock-up keeper, and Couch showed M'Clelland the clothes with blood on them then; four days after I came to Tamworth; I was tried in the Police Court, then at the Quarter Sessions, and then went to Maitland gaol; I was not outside my hut that night, but in my bed; I drove no sheep with or without dogs that night; they did not speak to me at all that night; I was not across the river for three months before that; I never took any sheep; I had no knife in my hand; I had no blood on my hands; I was sick on Sunday and three days; I had a very heavy sickness for three days, and was not able to get about; I had made a damper before I was sick, and that's all I had to eat.

Other witnesses were called, the most important being James Callaghan, the public school teacher at Nundle, who detailed conversation he had with Dawson, in which he confessed to having had dealings with Couch in the matter of the charge. This witness's evidence was very voluminous and circumstantial, corroborating the previous evidence. The whole of the prisoners were found guilty, and were sentenced. Couch and Dawson to 3 years' imprisonment. Brann and Wells to 1 year's imprisonment. Wells and Brann were recommended to mercy on the ground that the jury believed they had been coerced by Couch.

LAW REPORT.

INSOLVENCY COURT.—SATURDAY.

SURRENDER.

Mary Phillips, of Cooma, widow. Liabilities, £167 2s., of which £25 is secured. Assets, £55 10s. Mr. Lyons, official assignee.

SCHEDULE FILED.

George Matthews, of Kelso, innkeeper. Liabilities, £363 9s. 5d. Assets, £2072 15s. 5d.

LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, OCTOBER 27.

Banco Court.—Walker v. Josephson, Commercial Banking Company v. Tandy, Wangenheim v. Dalveen and another, Hampson and another v. M'Gregor, same v. M'Gregor and another.

Jury Court.—Cooper v. Jackson, Uhde et ux. v. Lyon, Dibbs v. Ellis.

Prothonotary's Office.—For Taxation: Walch v. Jones and another, at half-past 10 o'clock; De Lissa v. Gruer, at 11; Plummer v. Deane, at quarter to 12; Grossman and another v. Hanseatic Fire Insurance Company, at 12.

Master's Office.—At 11.30 a.m.: In re Owen M'Donald, deceased, and the Act 21 Vict., No. 7, to settle report. At 11 a.m.: Attorney-General v. Scott and others, adjourned state of facts; same v. same, to proceed on defendants' state of facts.

INSOLVENCY MEETINGS.

October 27.—Robinson v. Hampson and Gibson, rule nisi for compulsory sequestration. At Bombala: Thomas Turgay, single.

October 28.—Richard Webb, George White, Charles George Morrell, George Jarvis, Jackson Marks, Denis Hayes, Abraham Shaw, James Mitchell, John Atherton Stevenson, James Ford Walker Aldis, David Pert, Edward Burton Lumley, William Henry Purvis, Francis Kirby, William Kemp, Richard Webb the younger, certificate application. At Wagga Wagga: John Harrington, single.

October 29.—James Hinton, Denis M'Namara, Samuel Collier, third; William Stuart Stone, William John Fitzgerald, William Ison, single; James Disney, second; George Barclay (deceased), Matthew Lee, first; John Horsley, adjourned single. At Tamworth: Henry Llewellyn, special: Catherine Horan, single. At Glen Innes: John Martin, single. At Newcastle: John Houston, single; Michael Tray, single.

October 30.—Thomas Greenstreet, motion for release of estate. Accounts and plans for confirmation: Estate of William Shepherd and Joseph Shepherd, 20s. preferential, and dividend of 5s. 6½d.; estate of Louis Malcolm Keyzor, dividend, 3s. 6d. in £; William Cumberland Goddard, dividend of 1s. 7½d. in £; estate of John Holme Jones, account current. John Alexander and Frederick Litchfield, ratification of directions. Commercial Banking Company v. John Campbell, rule nisi for compulsory sequestration. At Nowra: Patrick Kelly, second. At Armidale: Thomas Kitcher and Herbert Henry Baker.

October 31.—Joseph Hanson, Allan Mackenzie, Thomas Troy, and Simeon Joel, third; James Beaney, second; Patrick O'Doud, adjourned single; William Lumsdaine, adjourned second; Samuel Solomon, special; Charles Lee, adjourned single; Charles Cressy Clayworth and August Sappey, first. At Grafton: John M'Kee, second; William Nond, single.

POLICE.

At the CENTRAL POLICE COURT, on Saturday, the Bench was occupied by Messrs. Smart and Cunningham.

John Smith, a well-known offender in the petty larceny line, was called upon to account for his possession of an iron weight and two pewter measures, and at once candidly confessed to having stolen them; but he did not mention the name of the sufferer. To be imprisoned and kept to hard labour for a period of two months.

William Gorman was fined 40s., or to be imprisoned one month, for using language towards one Thomas Moffatt calculated to provoke a breach of the peace.

Thomas Davis was found guilty of having taken his seat in a railway carriage, and remaining therein, without having paid his fare, 16s. 3d., and taken a ticket from Marulan to Sydney, and was sentenced to pay a penalty of 20s., or to be imprisoned seven days.

At the WATER POLICE COURT, on Saturday morning, the Police Magistrate and Messrs. Greville and V. Brown, J.P., were on the Bench in the Charge Court. *George Williams*, 45, and described as a cook, was summarily convicted of stealing 18 lbs. of cheese, of the value of 22s., the property of James Punch, and was ordered to pay a fine of 20s., with the alternative of seven days.

Jules Maurice, 35, and described as a hatter, was charged with having unlawfully and maliciously stabbed one Charles Reeve. Mr. O'Michel interpreted for prisoner, who is a Frenchman. The evidence for the prosecution was to the effect that about 12 o'clock on Friday night prosecutor was walking along the footpath in George-street, near the Crooked Billet Hotel. Prisoner was then standing on the footpath, and pushed up against him as he went past. On being remonstrated with by prosecutor prisoner followed him, and struck at him several times. Prosecutor put up his left arm to ward off the blows, when he suddenly felt that he had been stabbed. He then took off his coat, and saw the blood flowing from the wound; he told some bystanders he had been stabbed, and asked them to arrest prisoner till the police came, but they did not do so; he kept calling out for the police, and Constable E. Taylor arrived soon after; prisoner ran away as soon as he committed the deed, but the constable afterwards succeeded in arresting him; prosecutor was then taken to the Infirmary, where Dr. Hastie dressed his wound, which was about two and a-half inches deep, and an inch long; a knife was found on prisoner, but Dr. Hastie was of opinion that neither of the blades in it could have inflicted the wound. Committed for trial at the next Court of Quarter Sessions; bail allowed, self in £80, and two sureties in £40 each.

Mary Ann Wilson, 21, was fined £5, with the alternative of two months in gaol, for using indecent language in Bridge-street, in addition to being punished for drunkenness.

Alfred Mancer, 37, and described as a dealer, was charged with cruelly ill-treating a horse. Mr. Cooke appeared for defendant, who pleaded not guilty. Before the case commenced the magistrates viewed the horse, which was tied up in the yard at the Court-house. It presented a shocking sight. On the off rump there was a large hole, apparently from neglected ringworm, which had festered, and from which matter was exuding; besides this it had a sore back, the skin being broken in several places, and its off fore leg was so much swollen about the fetlock, from the gathering of an old wound, that it was with evident pain the poor beast allowed it to barely touch the ground. The evidence of constable Doyle was to the effect that about ten minutes to 12 o'clock last night he saw defendant driving the horse, which was in a spring-cart, in Palmer-street; he was beating it with a large stick; seeing that the animal was to all appearance too weak to drag the cart, witness, whose attention was first attracted by defendant's harsh treatment of the horse, went over and found it in the state described, and he thereupon arrested him. Defendant called a witness to prove that he did not know the state the animal was in, but the Bench evidently did not believe this story, as they said they considered the case fully proved against him, and fined him £5, with the alternative of two months in gaol. At first they had been inclined to send him to gaol without the option of a fine.

VOLUNTEER INSPECTION.

The Commandant inspected the 1st Regiment of Volunteer Infantry on Saturday last. The establishment of this regiment is now complete, and there was a full attendance of officers, non-commissioned officers, and men who have been passed into the ranks—the number present being 225 of all ranks. The preliminary part of the inspection of a regiment, consists of the tedious, but undoubtedly necessary process of examining by companies in detail, the clothing, accoutrements, and arms of every man on parade. This was minutely done, and the result was pronounced to be satisfactory. The scarlet coats worn by the men are somewhat loose, but comfortable, and although not designed for adornment, are eminently serviceable, and set-off a body of men to good advantage. After the preliminary phase of the inspection, the battalion was formed into line and put through the manual and firing exercises by Adjutant Hill. The wind was blowing so strongly from the westward at the time, that at first it seemed doubtful whether the Adjutant would be able to make himself heard; but with the sagacity that always distinguishes an old soldier, he placed himself well to windward, and the commands given in his clear and well-pitched voice were distinctly carried down the whole length of the line. Colonel Raymond, the commanding-officer, then put the regiment through a number of battalion movements, such as closing from column to quarter column, deployments, advancing in echelon, charging front and returning in column from the right in rear of the left. Major Richards was then called to the front, and put the men through some battalion evolutions. After this, the regiment was handed over to Adjutant Hill. Colonel Raymond subsequently resumed the command, and moved past in column and quarter column, formed line, advanced in line in review order, and gave the general salute. After the termination of the parade, the Commandant stated to Colonel Raymond that the inspection had been very satisfactory. The boisterous weather was, he said, very disadvantageous, but notwithstanding this, he could not but observe that both officers and men showed that they were well up to their work, and he paid a special compliment to Adjutant Hill for the efficient state of the regiment, which had in a great measure been brought about by his zeal and ability.

W. PRITCHARD will sell by auction, This Day, on the premises, 617, George-street, at 11 o'clock, the whole of the stock-in-trade, plant, materials, and tools of trade of Mr. T. Adrain, gasfitter, establishment, No. 617, George-street. No reserve. Terms, cash.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—October 25.

Platypus (s.), 200 tons, Captain Jackson, from Richmond River 23rd instant. Passengers—Messrs. Williams, Greer, Syrnes, and 5 in the steerage. C. and R. R. S. N. Co., agents.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), 1200 tons, Captain J. W. Brown, from Melbourne 23rd instant. Passengers—Mrs. R. Bently, Mrs. Hutton and servant, Mrs. Baythein, Miss Norris, Miss Jones, Miss L. Jones, Messrs. A. Pointon, B. S. Lloyd, S. Edwards, R. Edwards, H. C. Cook, J. W. Goddard, T. W. Odgers, E. Baythein, A. Ellis, R. Jones, Wittowkoski, W. Cameron, J. Jacobs, W. Merry, and 35 in the steerage. A. S. N. Co., agents.

John Penn (s.), 300 tons, Captain Holden, from Merimbula 24th instant. Passengers—R. W. Gardner, M. Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Walter, Mr. and Mrs. Thorne, and Master Thorne, Mrs. Keyse, Miss Keyse, Mr. Keyse, Mr. and Mrs. Allan, A. A. Wren, Hickson, Goldsmith, J. Stephens, Higgenson, Whistler, Scott, Copper, M'Donald, and 4 in the steerage. Illawarra S. N. Co., agents.

Escort, American barque, 636 tons, Captain Waterhouse, from Boston 21st May, via Algoa Bay 17th September. Passengers—Mrs. Waterhouse and family (3). Barron, Moxham, and Co., agents.

Olivia Davis, barque, 509 tons, Captain Emerson, from Melbourne. Beilby and Co., agents.

Ellen, schooner, 70 tons, Captain Nicholson, from Twofold Bay 23rd instant. Captain, agent.

Brunette, barque, 385 tons, Captain Dow, from Manila 26th July. G. R. Dibbs and Co., agents.

Cynosure, barque, 764 tons, Captain Richards, from Liverpool 6th July. Passenger—Mr. Spavin. Dangar, Gedye, and Co., agents.

Swordfish, schooner, 120 tons, Captain Black, from Melbourne 24th instant. Captain, agent.

Fiona (s.), 729 tons, Captain Curphey, from Clarence River 24th instant. Colonial Sugar Co., agents.

Easby (s.), 969 tons, Captain Saul, from Melbourne 23rd instant. Passengers—Mr. and Mrs. Newbeggin, Miss Newbeggin, Miss Stobbs, Mrs. James Paterson, Miss Harcourt. Captain, agent.

October 26.

E. M. Young, barque, 345 tons, Captain M'Michen, from Adelaide 18th instant. Passengers—Mrs. M'Michen, Miss Stewart. Captain, agent.

Argyle (s.), 218 tons, Captain C. F. Tucker, from Clarence River 24th instant. Passengers—Miss Lee, Messrs. E. W. Grant, Master Lee, and 5 in the steerage. S. G. Davidson, agent.

Cheviot (s.), 1000 tons, Captain Charles Ashford, from Melbourne 24th instant. Passengers: Mrs. Ashford and two children, Miss Henri, Miss L. Nixon, Mrs. and Miss Garrett, Mrs. L. Martin, Messrs. L. Martin, T. Foster, H. L. Robbins, Schillings, R. Dawes, J. Darward, W. M'Nicol, Master Robbins, and 11 in the steerage. W. Howard Smith and Sons, agents.

Hero (s.), 851 tons, Captain T. Logan, from Melbourne 24th instant, en route for Auckland. Passengers: Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. M'Intyre and infant, Mrs. W. Keith, infant and five children, Misses Keith (3), Messrs. G. S. Mathias, J. W. Roberts, E. Tinsbury, Bailey, M'Intyre, W. Keith, E. Olafsen, and 18 in the steerage. Messrs. Bright Brothers, agents.

R. M. S. City of New York, 3000 tons, Captain Cobb, from San Francisco 29th September, via Auckland 22nd instant. Passengers—Mrs. B. G. Allen and 2 children, Mrs. W. Gill, Mrs. G. Agrati, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Morris and child, Lieutenant Collins, Mr. F. Pitt Taylor, Mr. J. H. Coleman, Mr. D. R. Hawley, Mr. George Coates, Mr. Thomas Brown, Mr. H. A. Brisley, Mr. R. Gibson, Mr. Samuel Staines, Mr. G. M. Deloitte, Miss Deloitte, Mr. Holden, Mr. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Lachlan M'Gowan, Mr. Rogers, Miss L. Jane Watson, and 46 in the steerage. R. Towns and Co., agents.

Enterprise, schooner, 53 tons, Captain Hughes, from River Firth, Tasmania. Captain, agent.

DEPARTURES.—October 25.

Taufahau, schooner, for Maryborough via Newcastle.
City of Grafton (s.), for Grafton.
Balclutha (s.), for Maryborough.
H. M. S. Emerald, for Fiji.

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City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne.
Inch Murren, ship, for Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURE.—October 27.

Bunyip, for Melbourne.

CLEARANCES.—October 25.

City of Adelaide (s.), 1300 tons, Captain D. Walker, for Melbourne. Passengers—Miss Walsh, Miss Blake, Miss Cooke, Mrs. Zillman, Miss Zillman, Miss Sheddon, Miss F. Brown, Mrs. Cameron, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Bland Holt, Mrs. Emergine, Miss Allan, Miss Levein, Mrs. Levein, Miss A. L. Dargon, Master Armitage, Messrs. W. Cooke, W. Cameron, W. Young, John Wilson, A. H. Walton, F. Walsh, H. Smerglyn, Bland Holt, J. J. Craig, M. C. Collins, Emergine, W. Fenlshaw, W. Baird, S. Levein, J. W. Armitage, M. Greenwall, Hon. J. White, T. A. Stephan, Mackellar, Webb, Farren, F. R. Remington, A. Talbott, Captain Osborne, A. J. Smith, J. Hadsworth, H. Wertham, O. C. Beale, A. C. Blackburn, Fred. J. Thomas, Robert M'Linton, D. Lamb, A. Jaffrey, F. S. Runciman, R. Anderson, and 37 in the steerage.

Balclutha (s.), 600 tons, Captain W. Beal, for Maryborough and Rockhampton. Passengers—Messrs. F. M. Nankivell, Charles Robinson, W. E. Chillcott, and 5 in the steerage.

COASTERS INWARDS.—October 25.

Activity, from Port Macquarie, with 35,675 feet timber; Lalla Rookh, from Bellinger River, with sundries; Eliza, from Bellinger River, with 700 bags maize; Lillian, from Port Stephens; Heron and Hebe, from Newcastle, with 140 tons coal; Jane, from Tomago, with 49 girders, 12 logs; Jessie Matilda, from Grafton; Kate, from Broken Bay, in ballast; White Cloud, from Kiama, with 45 tons blue metal; City of Brisbane (s.), from the Hunter River, with 416 bales wool, 31 bags maize, 41 bags wheat, 40 hides, 3 casks tallow, 1 horse, 1 buggy, 5 cases eggs, 3 cases wine, 2265 cakes copper, 5 bags bacon, 8 tins honey, 5 bundles skins, and sundries. Coonanbara (s.), from Newcastle with 61 bales hay, 10 casks tallow, 15 casks beer, 205 bales wool, 4 bales skins, 20 casks wine, 4 boxes fowls, 1 boat, gear, and mast, 40 empty casks, 20 cases sundries.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—October 25.

Maitland (s.), Hebe, Inch Murren, Jessie Matilda, and Heron, from Newcastle; Lalla Rookh and Eliza, for Bellinger River; Lillian, for Port Stephens; Jane, for Tomago; Maggie Scott, for Brisbane Water; Kate, for Broken Bay.

IMPORTS.—October 25.

[A special charge is made for consignees' announcements in this column.]

Olivia Davis, from Melbourne: 550 tons stone.

Ly-ee-Moon (s.), from Melbourne: 36 hogsheads brandy, 36 cases castoroil, 15 bales cornsacks, 12 churns, 25 casks stearine, 5 casks cheese, 3 tanks malt, 6 washing-machines, 89 packages tea, 6 casks soft soap, 100 boxes candles, 22 trunks boots, 50 cases acids, 31 octaves whisky, 6 hogsheads treacle, 250 bags salt, 50 empty casks, 7 cases screws, 5 cases hams, 45 bags onions, 750 cases kerosene oil, 3 cases tobacco, 4 cases drugs, 10 iron discs, 2 boats, and 199 packages sundries.

Escort, from Boston: 10 cases waggons, 400 cases 6 barrels oil, 110 packages blacking, 381 cases chairs, 60 crates slates, 15 cases machinery, 3 cases axes, 22 cases varnish, 4 cases leather, 3 bundles shovels, 3 barrels lamp-black, 25 cases agricultural implements, 15 cases carriages, 40 cases nails, 30 cases organs, 200 barrels plaster, 124 barrels rosin, 200 boxes clothes-pegs, 600 washboards, and 102 packages.

Cynosure, from Liverpool: 529 barrels 392 cases bottled stout, 120 [illegible] 30 quarter-casks whisky, 73 hogsheads 25 cases ale, 380 barrels 100 casks 158 cases bottled beer, 650 cases brandy, 124 packages earthenware, 20 cases safes, 67 barrels soda crystals, 5 casks glassware, 200 boxes tinplates, 90 cases galvanized iron, 20 drums caustic soda, 20 hogsheads holloware, 155 cases glass bottles, 2618 bags salt, 10 barrels palm oil, 13 barrels 19 cases silicate of soda, 4 cases steel, 34 packages hardware, 10 bales cotton waste, 602 bundles 175 lots 1700 coils wire, 49 kegs shot, 5 jars potash, 400 bundles hoops, 5 casks 2 cases ink (bottled), 372 boxes window glass, 2909 bars 967 bundles iron, 3 barrels glass beads, 19 packages indiarubber shoes, 63 crates woodwork, 4 cases cutlery, 62 packages drapery, 26 kegs nails, 3 boxes pipes, 206 bundles hoop iron, 47 crates, 30 cases, 2 tierces, and 1 package.

Brunette, from Manila: 275 tons hemp, 200 tons granite.

Swordfish, from Melbourne: 48 tons rock salt, 50 tons stone, 45 tons common salt.

October 26.

E. M. Young, from Adelaide: 1153 bags flour, 342 bags wheat, 667 bundles sacks.

Cheviot (s.), from Melbourne: 500 cases kerosene, 55 boxes tobacco, 10 cases castor oil, 90 packages boots, 50 cases jam, 8 casks stearine, 11 cases confectionery, 1 case plate glass, 192 flagstones, 10 casks plants, 61 bags onions, 28 crates vegetables, 5 cases sewing machines, 3 casks chain and 2 lengths, 30 bags rice, 200 bags flour, 1 stripper and shaft, 1 reaper, 20 cases merchandise, 20 packages tea, 24 cases and 42 packages sundries.

Hero (s.), from Melbourne: 21 sacks salt, and original cargo for Auckland, 220 tons.

City of New York (s.), from New York: 42 bags shrimps, 7 bales sea weed, 36 packages machinery, 40 half-barrels salmon, 25 cases axle grease, 250 packages shingles, 39 packages pop corn, 100 flasks quicksilver, 901 bundles mouldings, 121 pieces mouldings, 77 packages rope, 15 packages oil, 8 bales broom-corn, 20 packages glue, 7 cases cigars, 12 packages hardware, 38 cases canned goods, 192 packages dried fruits, 501 cases salmon, 18 packages platedware, 1990 doors, 70 boxes casings, 12 cases drugs, 69 bales pulu, 133 barrels whale oil, 77 cases paint, 521 boxes onions, 1676 boxes green fruit, 40 sacks beet seed, 50 gunnies beans, 171 packages lubricator, 3 boxes gold, valued £10,582, and 16 packages.

Ex Cynosure: 40 tons Whitecross fencing wire, Nos. 6, 8, and 10; 46 cases Phillips and Hill's galvanized iron, 26 gauge, 6 to 10 feet—Montefiore, Joseph, and Co.

Ex Clan Grant: 1 bale serge; 1 bale collar cloth; 3 cases saddlers' iron mongery—John Rourke, West Maitland.

EXPORTS.—October 25.

Balclutha (s.), for Maryborough and Rockhampton: 10 cases geneva, 12½ cases 1 quarter-cask brandy, 11 cases schnapps, 22 cases 10 octaves and 1 quarter-cask whisky, 39 bundles wire, 135 packages tea, 2 cases biscuits, 13 cases vinegar, 12 boxes candles, 10 firkins 1 keg white lead, 15 boxes apples, 5 cases stout, 18 packages oilstores, 2 casks soda crystals, 42 drums oil, 1 case nails, 1 case vestas, 18 bags potatoes, 4 bundles buckets, 5 packages boots, 37 dholls fibre, 1 case paint, 3 bundles ovens, 3 cases drugs, 1 cask bottles, 1 quarter-cask acid, 6 bags salt, 25 cases China oil, 1 keg red lead, 2 coils rope, 6 kegs butter, 1 bundle shovels, 10 tons pig iron, 25 bars iron, 6 kegs lead, 4 drums tar, 3 packages drapery, 15 lengths pipe, 6 rolls netting, 4 bags spikes, 35 cases fruit, 9 bags onions, 4 bundles covers, 2 cases axes, and sundries.

City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne: 77 hogsheads molasses, 47 bags oysters, 8 baskets prawns, 2 cases plants, 9 castings, 15 bales wool, 1235 bags maize, 80 cases acid jars, 5 bags tapioca, 647 cases fruit, and 41 packages sundries.

Custom House.—Entered Outwards, October 25: Tasman (s.), 491 tons, Captain W. D. Lyon, for Hobart Town; Argos, brig, 290 tons, Captain Punch, for Adelaide.

The Brunette, iron barque, sailed from Manila on the 26th July, and had very light weather throughout the first part of the passage. Passed through the Straits of Macassar, and was off Lombock on the 7th September. The S.E. trades were squally with a very nasty sea, and drove the ship to latitude 31° S. and longitude 91° E., where fresh westerly winds were taken with very unsettled weather, which continued through Bass' Straits.

The Easby (s.), Captain Saul, from Melbourne, cleared Port Phillip Heads on Thursday, 23rd instant, at 4 p.m. Rounded Gabo Island on Saturday at 1 a.m., and arrived in Sydney Cove on the same day at 7 p.m. Had south and S.W. gales throughout the passage. The Easby landed passengers and resumed her voyage for Newcastle at 5 a.m. on Sunday.

The steam dredge Bunyip, bound to Melbourne, is at anchor in Woolloomooloo Bay.

The Rodondo (s.), from Newcastle for Melbourne, arrived here at 10.30 a.m. yesterday.

The Coonanbara (s.), from Newcastle, arrived at 7.15 a.m. yesterday.

The A. S. N. Company's City of Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne, put to sea on Saturday afternoon, but in consequence of the strong southerly gale prevailing on the coast she returned and anchored in Watson's Bay. She resumed her voyage at 5 a.m. yesterday, against a hard southerly wind.

The Argyle (s.), recently employed between the Clarence River and Melbourne, has been taken off that line, and henceforth is to run between the Clarence and Sydney. She left Grafton on Thursday at noon, steamed down to Palmer's Island, taking in cargo on the way, and crossed the Bar at 5.30 a.m. on Friday. Had favourable weather up to Mermaid Reef, which was passed on the same day at 10 p.m.; from thence had strong and south and south-west winds, with a heavy sea; arrived at Sydney on the 26th at 3.30 p.m. The cargo of the Argyle consists of 1280 bags maize, 280 bags sugar, 310 bunches bananas, 3 coops pigs, 4 coops poultry, 11 cases eggs, and sundries.

The Pacific mail s.s. City of New York, Wm. B. Cobb, commander, sailed from San Francisco September 29, 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, discharged pilot at 2.15 p.m., arrived at Honolulu October 6 at 6.40 p.m.—running time, 7 days 4 hours 25 minutes; weather pleasant. Sailed from Honolulu October 7 at 5.47 a.m.; crossed the Equator October 11 at 10.30 p.m. in longitude 165.50 W.; October 15 Island of Tutuila abeam, distant 8 miles, at 1.10 a.m.; crossed the 180° longitude on the evening of the 18th; moderate N.E. and S.E. trade winds during the passage from Honolulu to Auckland; arrived at Auckland October 21 at 10.27 a.m.—running time from Honolulu to Auckland after having deducted 2 hours and 40 minutes' detention at sea, 13 days 23 hours. Discharged pilot at Auckland 5.5 a.m. October 22; passed Poor Knights 11.55 a.m., Cape Brett at 12.45 p.m., North Cape at 9.30 p.m. of the same day; October 26th, passed full-rigged ship hove-to, under double-reefed topsails. Experienced pleasant weather until the 24th, from thence to port heavy south-west gale, accompanied with rain-squalls. Boarded by Sydney pilot at 9.50 p.m. October 26th. Time from Auckland to Sydney, 4 days 16 hours 45 minutes, less 1 hour 15 minutes' delay at sea, making 4 days 15 hours 30 minutes actual running time. Time from San Francisco to Sydney, 26 days 6 hours 35 minutes.

The Swordfish, schooner, left Hobson's Bay on the 14th, and had very variable winds in the early part of the passage, then strong southerly winds.

The Cynosure, barque, will be placed alongside Dibbs' wharf to-day.

The mail steamer Bowen, will be docked to-day.

The Mystery (s.) went down to Port Hacking on Saturday, for the purpose of making an effort to tow the stranded schooner Prosper-Conlon off the shore, but in consequence of the heavy sea, the attempt had to be postponed.

The Fiona (s.), crossed the Clarence Bar at 5.10 a.m., on Friday, and entered Sydney Heads at 3.50 p.m., on Saturday the 25th; experienced fresh north winds to the Manning River, thence strong southerly winds to Sydney. The cargo consists of 3900 sacks of sugar, 125 hogsheads of rum.

The Cheviot (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 6 p.m., 24th; Wilson's Promontory, 4.20 a.m., 25th; Gabo Island, 10.40 p.m., same day; and entered Sydney Heads at 7.15 p.m. From time of leaving to Cape Howe experienced light easterly weather, and cross sea; from thence to arrival fresh southerly winds and pleasant weather.

The Hero (s.) cleared Port Phillip Heads at 3 p.m. on the 24th instant; passed Gabo Island at 9.30 p.m. on the 25th; Jervis Bay at 11.40 a.m., on the 26th; entered the Heads at 7.15 p.m. same day; and arrived at the Grafton wharf at 7.50. All through the passage round the Hero had southerly winds and south-east swell.

The Coomba, ketch, left Port Macquarie for Sydney yesterday, Sunday, at 6 a.m.

The Ly-ee-Moon (s.), cleared Port Phillip Heads 5.50 p.m. on the 23rd instant; passed Wilson's Promontory 3 a.m. 24th, Gabo Island 6.55 p.m. same day, Cape St. George 7 a.m. on the 25th, and entered Sydney Heads 1.45 p.m. same day. Experienced fresh southerly breeze, with heavy cross swell, to Promontory; light variable winds to Gabo Island; thence light and moderate south and S.W. winds, with hazy weather and heavy rain to arrival.

The John Penn (s.), crossed Merrimbula bar at 4.30 a.m on 24th, and anchored off the bar to wait for passengers; 10 a.m. weighed anchor, and left for Tathra; arrived at Tathra wharf 10.13 a.m., took in cargo and left at 1.20 p.m.; same day passed Montague Island 5.20 p.m., Jervis Bay light at 2 a.m. on the 25th, passed Kiama at 6 a.m. on the 25th, arrived at Wollongong 8 a.m., landed mails and left at 8.30 a.m. for Sydney, and arrived at Sydney Heads 1.45 p.m. Experienced fresh S. and S.W. winds and thick rainy weather to arrival. Cargo: 772 cheeses, 220 cases maizena, 300 kegs butter, 90 bags bacon, 100 bags potatoes, 60 bags cattle-food, 40 bags bark, 7 bundles sheepskins, 20 hides, 2 casks tallow, 4 cases butter, 6 cases cheese, 2 bags wool, 1 case sundries, 50 bales wool, 1 horse, cow and calf, and 1 bull.

The Esk (s.) arrived at Launceston from this port at 7 p.m. on the 24th instant.

The Platypus (s.), crossed the Richmond Bar at 1 p.m., on the 23rd; passed Port Stephens at 5 p.m., on the 24th; and entered Sydney Heads at 11 a.m., on the 25th. Experienced north-east winds and fine weather to Port Stephens, and strong southerly winds and heavy sea for the remainder of the passage. Cargo: 500 mats sugar, 12 bags maize, 100 hides, 2 coops fowls, 6 cases eggs, and sundries.

The Ellen, schooner, from Twofold Bay 23rd instant, brings the following cargo:—45 bags potatoes, 17 casks whale oil, 1 cask tallow, 12 hides, 251 cheeses, 2 tubs butter, 60 bags bark, and sundries.

The Cynosure, barque, left Liverpool on the 6th July, and took the N.E. trades on the 19th July in 32° N., and lost them on the 28th in 13° N.; from thence to the equator had light variable winds; crossed the equator on the 9th August, and on the same date got the S.E. trades; they proved good, and were carried to 24° S., which was made on the 18th August; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on the 10th September, and ran the easting down in 47° with strong and very variable winds. Passed south of Tasmania on the 15th instant; and had N. and N.E. winds on this coast. On the 10th July William Neill, ship's cook, was lost overboard and drowned; a boat was lowered, and made an unsuccessful search for him for four hours.

The ship La Hogue, commanded by Captain Wagstaff, which has ever been a favourite with passengers between London and Sydney, and celebrated for the regularity of her passages, will soon be preparing for her homeward voyage, and will sail on or about the 10th January. In the meantime the ship will remain at anchor in Neutral Bay till the first week in December, when she will come alongside the Quay, to take in wool, &c., and no doubt the well-known character she bears with insurance offices for turning out unstained cargo will ensure a continuance of the support customarily accorded her by wool shippers. The La Hogue has a splendid saloon, 100 feet long, and as the interest in the International Exhibition is likely to cease about the time appointed for her sailing, she is likely to have a good many passengers for London.

An extraordinary escape from a disastrous collision at sea, has taken place between the A. S. N. Co.'s Ly-ee-Moon (s.), and the Barrabool (s.), owned by Mr. W. H. Smith, of Melbourne. From some unaccountable reason, the two vessels approached each other at full speed, close to Cape Schank on Thursday evening, without being observed, till they were so close that a frightful collision appeared imminent. The Ly-ee-Moon had only a few minutes previously passed the Schank, and it was scarcely dark when a large vessel was seen making dead into her port bow. The engines of the Ly-ee-Moon were stopped, and going astern when the Barrabool shot close past her port side, and the two vessels went clear of each other without touching. A good deal of excitement, we are informed, prevailed among the passengers on board the Ly-ee-Moon. Had the two vessels collided, it is almost certain that one, or both of them, would have foundered.

The steamship Northumberland, from London, en route for Sydney, cleared Port Phillip Heads on Saturday, at 11 a.m.; and the Cuzco (s.), also for Sydney, cleared the Heads at 4 p.m.

THE BARQUE ESCORT ON FIRE.

Considerable anxiety has prevailed for some time past respecting the American barque Escort, long overdue from Boston, via Algoa Bay. She, however, arrived to-day, 156 days out from Boston. The delay is mostly accounted for by the fact of the vessel having been on fire in Algoa Bay, and detained to repair damage. It appears she left Boston on the 21st May, and, after a passage marked by light baffling winds, made the Cape of Good Hope, 84 days out. While at anchor in Algoa Bay, on the 6th September, the German barque Sedan, laden with railway sleepers, which was anchored just ahead of her, took fire and was very soon enveloped in flames, and drifted athwart the Escort's bows and then alongside of her. The latter's head gear, sails, and rigging were speedily in flames, and the fire then took hold of the starboard rail, bulwarks both sides, and a quantity of cargo which was stowed on deck also became ignited. The fire threatened the total destruction of the vessel, and but for the vigorous working of the crew, aided by crews from neighbouring vessels, the flames would not have been got under. Some of the Escort's yards and topmasts were destroyed, and with the jibboom, were cut adrift. Eventually the fire was got under, but not before a large amount of damage was done, and she has suffered greatly in consequence of the great quantity of water pumped into the ship. The Escort was then repaired sufficiently to enable her to make the voyage to this port.

[ADVERTISEMENT.]

Sydney Harbour, October 25th.

To Captain J. W. Brown.

We, the undersigned, saloon passengers by the fine steamship Ly-ee-Moon from Melbourne to Sydney, hereby desire to express our good opinion of your skilful seamanship in having extricated the Ly-ee-Moon, under your command, from a dangerous collision with the steamer Barrabool, bound to Melbourne, which appeared inevitable, off Cape Schanck, on the evening of the 23rd instant.

We would further record our gratitude to Almighty God for this instance of his over-ruling providence, and hope that you may still be protected on the mighty deep, and prosecute many more voyages in safety in the Australasian Steam Navigation Company's service, meriting the confidence and esteem of all who sail with you.

B. S. Lloyd, J. Jacobs, W. Merry, J. W. Goddard, Asher Ellis, T. W. Odger, A. Pointon, Henry G. Cook, Robert Edwards, Murray L. Jones, J. Wittkowski, S. A. Edwards, W. R. Cameron, E. M. Hutton, E. Beythien, M. Beythien, R. A. Bentley, Lottie F. Jones, Rita W. Jones.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

PORT OF BRISBANE.—October 25.
ARRIVED.
Elamang (s.), from Sydney.
SAILED.
Egmont (s.), for Cooktown.

CAPE MORETON.—October 25.
PASSED.
Atjeh (s.), for Sydney.

ROCKHAMPTON.—October 25.
SAILED.
Governor Blackall (s.), for Sydney.

BALLINA.—October 25.
ARRIVED.
Richmond (s.), Amphitrite, Victory, Lismore, from Sydney.
SAILED.
Neptune, Rover, for Sydney.

CLARENCE HEADS.—October 25.
SAILED.
Queensland (s.), for Sydney.

KEPPEL BAY.—October 25.
ARRIVED.
Keilawarra (s.), from Sydney.

COOKTOWN.—October 25.
SAILED.
Wentworth (s.), for Sydney.

PORT PHILLIP HEADS.—October 25.
SAILED.
Northumberland (s.), for Sydney, at 11 a.m.
Cuzco (s.), for Sydney, at 4 p.m.

October 27.
The Afghan sailed late on Friday night.
The Northumberland cleared the Heads at 11 o'clock on Saturday forenoon for Sydney, and the Cuzco left for Sydney at 4.20 p.m. on Saturday. The Durham sailed on Saturday for London.

ADELAIDE.—October 24.
ARRIVED.
Emma Miller, from New York.
Lady Kinnaird, from Liverpool.
SAILED.
Christiana, for Noumea.
Marsden, for Guam.

SYDNEY HEADS.

Date.	Time.	Wind.	Remarks.
October 24.	8.30 a.m.	S.S.W.	Strong and raining.
	Noon.	S.W.	Ditto and ditto.
	5 p.m.	S.	Ditto and ditto.
October 25.	8.30 a.m.	S.	Strong and Cloudy.
	Noon.	S.	Ditto and Fine.
	5.30 p.m.	S.	Ditto and Fine.

High water at Fort Denison, October 27—5.56 a.m.; 6.20 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.—October 25.

South Australia: Fine generally, with light variable winds, smooth sea, and steady barometers; no rain. Victoria: Cloudy generally, barometers rising, light southerly winds, and smooth sea; rain at Portland, 0·01. New South Wales: Fine inland, cloudy on coast, showery south of Newcastle, fresh S.S.W. wind, rising barometers, and smooth sea generally. See weather map for rain records. Queensland: Moderate, N.E. swell at Cape Moreton; fine and calm at Cooktown. 3 p.m. Observations.—Victoria, barometers steady; Portland, E.S.E., 23, fine, smooth sea, temperature 59°; Cape Otway, S.E., 6, fine, moderate sea, temperature 63°; Wilson's Promontory, E.N.E., 16, fine, smooth sea, temperature 64°. New South Wales: Wentworth, S., fine, temperature 72°; Deniliquin, S., 14, fine, temperature 6[illegible]; Albury, S.E., 20, fine, temperature 67°; Goulburn, calm, cloudy, temperature 62°; Forbes, W., 20, cloudy, temperature 61°; Eden, S.W., 20, fine, heavy sea, temperature 6[illegible]; Moruya, S.W., 40, showery, sea rough, temperature 60°; Cape George, S., 30, showery, heavy sea, temperature 57°; Sydney, W., 14, cloudy, temperature 54°; Newcastle, S.W., 30, cloudy, sea increasing, temperature 65°; Port Macquarie, S., 20, fine, sea smooth, temperature 68; Clarence River, S.E., 14, stormy, sea smooth. State of Rivers: Murrumbidgee, at Wagga, 22 feet 3 inches above summer level; at Hay, 14 feet 3 inches above summer level; at Balranald, 16 feet 6 inches above summer level. Murray, at Albury, 13 feet 6 inches above summer level; at Euston, 19 feet 2 inches above summer level. Darling, at Wentworth, 17 feet 11 inches above summer level; at Pooncarie, 21 feet 8 inches above summer level; at Menindie, 27 feet 7 inches above summer level; at Wincannia, 33 feet 5 inches above summer level.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY EVENING.

This was a blank day in mercantile circles. Later telegrams to hand from London confirm the reported advance in the value of a number of articles of import. Candles are advised as worth 6½d.; currants, 22s. No great change has yet occurred in candles here, but over 10,000 boxes were bought up this week by a speculator, and local makers raised their prices a farthing per lb. There is inquiry for salmon, both for home use and for export, 1200 cases of the shipment on board the mail steamer is for this market, and the balance for Melbourne.

Amongst the multifarious duties which the New Zealand Government has on its hands is the conduct of a life insurance department based on the participating principle. It has now been in operation for ten years, and professes to do business much cheaper than any other office. The actuary's report for the past year just issued, gives by way of illustration, the Government offices as charging a premium at £2 7s 2d. per £100 on an age of 35. The next lowest office charges £2 11s. 2d., and others range up to £2 15s. 4d. The report states that there are at present 10,314 existing policies assuring £3,744,997.

The Cynosure, from Liverpool, with general merchandise: the Escort, from Algoa Bay, with part of original cargo, from Boston; and the Brunette, from Manila, with 275 tons hemp, arrived to-day.

The banking capital of the United States amounts to £41,078,000, of which £15,560,000 represents the capital of private banks. The aggregate amount of deposits, as shown by the latest returns, is £248,558,000, and of this £165,896,000 was held by savings banks, £36,766,000 by private banks. The enormous increase in the export trade of that country is concentrating more wealth there than heretofore, and money has consequently become cheaper. In 1875 the value of imports exceeded that of exports by nearly twenty million dollars. Since then the balance has been the other way, and during the year ending June 30, the excess of exports over imports was estimated at 264,636,602 dollars, or £50,132,625 8s. 4d., though in that time both cotton and wheat had fallen greatly.

MONDAY MORNING.

The P. M. S. S. City of New York arrived last night with the English mails to September 11, and San Francisco mails to September 29.

From the *Daily Commercial News* we take the following regarding the state of the Californian markets, on Saturday, September 27:—

"At date of last summary the wheat market was dull, and holders expecting higher rates were not free sellers. The receipts therefore were light for the season. The election excitement also contributed to the general dulness of trade. Soon after the sailing of the steamer, however, under improved prices in the East and in England, this market began to advance and prices reached 1.90 dollar for choice lots. A reaction set in at the close, due to a decline in foreign markets and to the advance in freights, but at this writing the tone of the market is firmer. Barley has changed but little during the month. The demand for brewing and chevalier is fair, the greater part going to England, though some has been shipped to New York and elsewhere. The high port charges, heavy commissions, &c., have somewhat discouraged shippers to Australian markets, as the selling price has to be little less than fabulous to return any profit to the exporter. Corn and oats have shown slight fluctuations but close at nearly the same prices as given in our last. Quotations are as follows:—Flour: Superfine, 4 dollars 25 cents to 4 dollars 75 cents; shipping extras, 5 dollars 50 cents to 5 dollars 75 cents; City Mills, extras in jobbing lots, 6 dollars 12½ cents; Oregon standard extra, 5 dollars 25 cents to 5 dollars 75 cents; superfine, 3 dollars 50 cents to 4 dollars. Wheat: Milling, 1 dollar 85 cents to 1 dollar 87½ cents; shipping, 1 dollar 80 cents to 1 dollar 85 cents; coast, 1 dollar 25 cents to 1 dollar 60 cents per cental. Barley: Feed, 65 cents to 75 cents for coast, 75 cents to 80 cents for bay; brewing, 80 cents to 95 cents for new, 90 cents to 1 dollar 02½ cents for old; Chevalier — 90 cents to 1 dollar 10 cents for coast, and 1 dollar 50 cents to 1 dollar 70 cents per cental for hay. Corn: Large yellow is quotable at 85 cents to 90 cents; small ditto, 90 cents to 95 cents; large white, 80 cents to 82½ cents; small ditto, 82½ cents to 85 cents per cental. Rye quotable at 75 cents to 85 cents per cental. Oats quotable at 1 dollar to 1 dollar 10 cents for common, and 1 dollar 40 cents to 1 dollar 50 cents per cental for choice."

LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.
(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, FRIDAY.

3 per cent. Consols, 97⅞. Market rate of discount 1½ per cent.

5 per cent. N. S. W. Loan (1888 to 1902), 108; 4 per cent. Victorian Loan, 95½; 4 per cent. N. S. W. Loan, 97; 6 per cent. Tasmanian Loan, 114; 5 per cent. Victorian Loan, 107.

Tin: Straits, £93 per ton; Australian, £93 per ton.

Copper: Burra, £72 per ton; Wallaroo, £74 10s. per ton.

Wheat: Adelaide, per 496 lbs., ex warehouse, 60s. to 61s. Flour: Adelaide, per 280 lbs., ex warehouse, 42s. 6d.

Australian Tallow: Best beef, 39s. 6d. per cwt.; best mutton, 40s. 6d. per cwt.

THE MAILS.

Mails will close at the General Post Office, as follows:—

For Melbourne.—Overland, daily, Friday excepted, at 6 p.m.
For Adelaide.—Overland, via Melbourne, daily, Friday excepted, at 6 p.m.
For Hobart Town and Launceston.—Overland to Melbourne, and thence per steamer, daily, Friday excepted, at 6 p.m.
For Mauritius.—By the Smiling Morn, this day, at noon.
For Fiji.—By the Gunga (s.), this day, at 3.30 p.m.
For Grafton.—By the Argyle (s.), this day, at 5 p.m.
For Gosford.—By the Pelican (s.), this day, at 5.30 p.m.; and on Thursday, at 5.30 p.m.
For Manning River.—By the Beagle (s.), this day, at 8 p.m.
For Brisbane and Northern Ports.—By the Victoria (s.), on Tuesday, at 10 a.m.
For Hobart Town and Launceston via Eden.—By the Tasmanian (s.), on Tuesday, at 10 a.m.
For Auckland and all New Zealand Ports.—By the Hero (s.), on Tuesday, at 11 a.m.
For Brisbane, Maryborough, and Rockhampton.—By the Derwent (s.), on Tuesday, at 3 p.m.
For Richmond River.—By the Truganini (s.), on Tuesday, at 5 p.m.
For Merimbula and Eden.—By the John Penn (s.), on Wednesday, at 8.30 a.m.
For Wellington and Southern Ports of New Zealand.—By the Wakatipu (s.), on Wednesday, at 11 a.m.

DISPATCH OF MAILS VIA GALLE, PER SIAM, FROM MELBOURNE.

Mails containing letters, packets, and newspapers will be made up at this office, and forwarded per Avoca (s.), to Melbourne, on Wednesday, October 29th. Mails will close as follows:—
Registered letters at 10.30 a.m.
Unregistered letters at 11 a.m.
Newspapers and packets at 11 a.m.
Late letters for the United Kingdom, via Brindisi only, will be received at the General Post Office up to 12 noon. Late fee, 6d.
General Post Office, Sydney, October 21, 1879.

ABSTRACT of SALES by AUCTION THIS DAY.

G. KISS.—At his Bazaar, at 12, Horses, Vehicles, Harness, &c.
T. COSGROVE AND CO.—At their Bazaar, at 12, Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.
HARRISON, JONES, AND DEVLIN.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep; at their Wool Warehouse, at 2.30, Wool.
MAIDEN, HILL, AND CLARK.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
ELLIS AND CO.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 11, Wood, Posts, Rails, &c.; at their Yards, at 12, Damaged Goods, Pigs, Poultry, &c.
J. BRIDGE.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Bran, &c.
W. INGLIS.—At Railway, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 11, Maize, Oats, &c.
WELLS and SMITH.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Chaff, &c.; at 11, Wood, &c.; at Newtown Station, at 3, Wood, &c.
PITT, SON, AND BADGERY.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle and Sheep.
SULLIVAN AND SIMPSON.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.
W. FULLAGAR AND CO.—At Homebush, at 11, Fat Cattle.
A. ALLAN.—At No. 163, Bullanaming-street, Redfern, at 11, Right to a Milk Walk, Cows, Utensils, &c., Household Furniture and Effects; at Glebe-street, Glebe, at 2.30, Building Materials.
H. VAUGHAN.—At No. 22, Margaret-street, at 10, Household Furniture; at No. 9, Bligh-street, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects, Pianoforte, &c.; at 2.30, on the premises, Stephen-court, Elizabeth-street, Office Furniture, &c.
A. MOORE AND CO.—At the Mart, at 11, Household Furniture, Shop Fittings, &c.
H. L. DUNN.—At his Rooms, at 11 and 12, Unredeemed Pledges.
R. J. HUGHES AND CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects.
DENT AND HOSKIN.—At Darling Harbour, at 9, Hay, Straw, &c.; at 11, Wood, Posts, Palings, &c.
R. RICHARDS.—At Darling Harbour, at 11, Prime Beef.
H. PALMER.—On the Premises, Stanmore Road, at 11, Household Furniture and Effects.
HARRIS AND ACKMAN.—At 85 and 85½ Market-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade and Plant of Boot and Shoe Maker, Household Furniture, Fittings, &c.
W. PRITCHARD.—At No. 617, George-street, at 11, Stock-in-trade, Plant, Materials, &c. of Plumber's and Gasfitter's Establishment.
THE SHERIFF.—On the Premises, at 11, Household Furniture, Lease and License of the Champion of Freedom Hotel, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.
J. SOLOMON.—At his Rooms, at —, Drapery, Fancy Goods, &c.

Special Advertisements.

BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
Telegraphic advices have been received, that at the meeting of Proprietors of this Bank, held to-day in Auckland, a DIVIDEND AND BONUS EQUAL TO 15 PER CENT. PER ANNUM was declared for the half-year ended 30th September last.
Warrants for dividends on Shares, upon the New South Wales Register, will be payable at Sydney Branch, on and after TUESDAY NEXT, the 28th INSTANT.
EDWARD B. HOLT, Manager.
Sydney, 23rd October, 1879.

GREAT REDUCTIONS IN FIRE INSURANCE Premiums.
THE LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Insurances on first-class dwellings and buildings not used for purposes of trade, within the city and suburbs, at ONE SHILLING and SIXPENCE PER CENT.
LARGE REDUCTIONS have also been made in COMMERCIAL RISKS.
A. STANGER LEATHES, Resident Secretary.
100, Pitt-street.

INTERCOLONIAL LIFE AND FIRE COMPANY.—P. A. Jennings, C.M.G., President. Alderman J. Young, J.P., Vice-President. Fire and Life Insurance at most moderate rates. W. H. ARCHER, Managing Director, 247, George-street, Sydney.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
TELEGRAPHIC ADVICE having been received from London that a Dividend of Ten Shillings per Share for the HALF-YEAR ended 30th June last, had been declared, PROPRIETORS on the SYDNEY REGISTER are hereby informed that they will receive their Dividends on application at the Bank on and after 1st November next.
JAMES BALFOUR, Manager.
Oriental Bank Corporation, Sydney, 22nd October, 1879.

SYDNEY INSURANCE COMPANY, PITT and Hunter streets. Capital, £250,000. Reserves, £50,000. Unlimited liability of shareholders.
FIRE risks accepted at premiums as LOW as those of any other office.

TO SHIPPERS.
Wool and Produce to London insured under special arrangements.
W. H. MACKENZIE and CO.
Exchange-corner, Sydney.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
I have this day removed my business of Auctioneer and Commission Agent to those very commodious premises No. 125, PITT-STREET.
LOUIS COHEN.

BUENA VISTA HOTEL, MILITARY ROAD, ST. LEONARDS.—REDUCTION IN RATES.
Gentlemen or Ladies can have first-class accommodation at thirty shillings per week. Families arranged with on similar low terms. Mrs. Findlay, at the Hotel, or 324, George-street.

FIRST ANNUAL CASH SALE.
THE BEST ASSORTED STOCK OF FIRST-CLASS BOOTS AND SHOES IN AUSTRALIA.
EVERY LINE AT REDUCED PRICES.
CUSTOMERS ARE REQUESTED TO NOTICE THAT THERE ARE NOT ANY ODD SAMPLE PAIRS MERELY FOR SHOW OR MADE FOR DISPLAY AT THE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, BUT ARE THE SAME FIRST-CLASS QUALITY AS ARE ALWAYS KEPT IN STOCK TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE NUMEROUS PATRONS OF THE
ROYAL BOOT MART.
NOTICE.
NO DAMAGED GOODS.
NO OLD STOCK.
ALL FIRST-CLASS GOODS,
WHICH ARE NOW TO BE HAD AT REDUCED PRICES.
INSPECTION AND COMPARISON INVITED.
ONLY ONE PLACE OF BUSINESS—
RICHARD M'COY,
ROYAL BOOT MART,
492, GEORGE-STREET.

PENFOLD AND CO., 394, GEORGE-STREET, IMPORTERS of BEST BRANDS of AMERICAN TOBACCOS and CIGARETTES. Cut Tobaccos for smoking and chewing.

CEMENT.—KNIGHT BEVAN'S, WHITE'S, AND GOSTLING'S in store, now landing and to arrive.
MASON, BROTHERS, 14, Spring-street.

TO THE PUBLIC.
The genuine WALTHAM WATCHES as exhibited at the Garden Palace, can now be had of all respectable Watchmakers and Jewellers.
S. HOFFNUNG and CO., Pitt-street.
WHOLESALE AGENTS.

WE ARE NOW READY TO SUPPLY THE trade with Gold and Silver WALTHAM WATCHES, at specially low rates.
S. HOFFNUNG and CO., Pitt-street.

ONE POUND (£1) FREE GIFTS.
To induce the destruction of the wrappers of WOLFE'S SCHNAPPS, there is enclosed
IN EVERY DAY'S PACKING OF QUART BOTTLES
throughout the year
THREE £1 ORDERS,
which will be cashed by the undersigned on presentation.
M. MOSS and CO.,
Wynyard-lane, Sydney; 10, Market-buildings, Melbourne.

ROCK AND COARSE SALT.—LONDON DOUBLE stoved fine SALT for SALE, by ALFRED LAMB and CO.

VALENCIA RAISINS.—FINE NEW FRUIT, IN small boxes, for SALE, by ALFRED LAMB and CO.

LEA AND PERRINS' SAUCE.
In consequence of Spurious Imitations of
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,
which are calculated to deceive the public,
LEA AND PERRINS HAVE ADOPTED A NEW LABEL BEARING THEIR SIGNATURE, "LEA AND PERRINS," which is placed on every bottle of WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE, and without which none is genuine.
Ask for LEA and PERRINS' Sauce, and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle, and Stopper.
Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c., and by Grocers and Oilmen throughout the World.

CAUTION.
AMERICAN WALTHAM WATCHES
awarded
GOLD MEDAL,
PARIS EXHIBITION, 1878.
Numerous imitations are in the market. Buyers should see that the Trade Mark,
WALTHAM, MASS.,
is engraved on the Plate of the Watch.

BY ROYAL LETTERS PATENT.
JOSEPHSON'S AUSTRALIAN OINTMENT.
Being made from the WILD BUSH PLANTS, which only grow in New South Wales, and of a pale green colour, is guaranteed to be free from all metallic substances generally used in Ointments. We therefore recommend it for all external applications, such as sores, wounds, sprains, &c. Try it, and see that you get the genuine JOSEPHSON'S AUSTRALIAN OINTMENT. Pots, 1s each, sold everywhere.

GOODLET AND SMITH, TIMBER AND GALVANIZED Iron Merchants, 483, George-st., near Bathurst-st.

KALUDAH WINES AT CELLAR PRICES.—S. BENNETT and CO., Agents, 480, George-street.

PEARL MILLET (THE TRUE VARIETY).—A new forage plant, from America suitable for present sowing. 1s per packet, post free. ANDERSON and CO., Seed Merchants, 260, Pitt-street.

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SUMMARY OF NEWS FOR EUROPE.

The summary of Colonial news for transmission to Europe via Galle by the Royal mail steamship Siam will be published in this journal on Tuesday, October 28. Orders for extra copies should be lodged with the clerk at the counter to-day. Our friends in the country are reminded that orders to post for England will be too late after Wednesday morning's mail.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1879.

On the 6th of February, 1874, an Act came into operation passed by the last but one of our Parliaments, and which has some claim to be designated a self-denying ordinance. It decrees that "every future Legislative Assembly of New South Wales shall exist, and continue for three years from the day of the return of the writs for choosing the same, and no longer, subject nevertheless to be sooner prorogued or dissolved by the Governor of the said colony." It is not difficult to imagine the reasons which led to an enactment like that. One of the points of the great charter agitated for in England half a century ago was annual Parliaments, for the purpose of making the representatives more directly responsible to their constituents. Legislators elected for too long a period tend to become oblivious of their responsibility. Every session they have many opportunities of betraying those who elected them, and when the day of reckoning is remote they may be able to reap the reward of their subserviency before the electors whose confidence they abuse can deprive them of the power of mischief. That was the argument for annual Parliaments, and doubtless the reason for triennial Parliaments in this colony. The Constitution Act itself gave a five years term of life to our Parliaments, and that provision was in force for eighteen years. Was the Limitation Act of 1874 a useful reform, or only a vexatious innovation? To that query a little attention to facts may supply an answer.

Under responsible Government, as the phrase runs in official documents, we have had nine Parliaments, including the present one, and no fewer than nineteen Administrations. The first met on the 22nd May, 1856, and the present one must terminate in November of next year, if it does not die a violent death before the expiration of its natural term of life, like so many of its predecessors. That just gives 24½ years for the nine Parliaments, including the recesses and the interregnums, or an average life of two years and nine months. Throwing out the time lost upon dissolutions, there is left a net period of 22¾ years, which makes the actual average duration of a Parliament just 2 years, 6 months and 11 days on the hypothesis that the present one will live out its legal period. Only two lasted longer than three years, and those were the fourth and fifth which had a life of three years and ten months, and four years and nine months respectively. Is it only a coincidence that to the former of these we owe the Crown Lands Acts, and to the latter the Public Schools Act—almost the only two measures of first-class national importance out of some five or six hundred placed on the statute book? But neither of these measures was dealt with by a moribund Legislature. Sir JOHN ROBERTSON carried his Land Acts in a House which was fresh from the country, and had pledged itself on the hustings to some kind of land law reform. Sir HENRY PARKES had a Parliament only in its second year to legislate on education, and which survived its labours for four more sessions. The one which succeeded it had a life of only two years; and the seventh, of only two years and seven months, although it committed the happy dispatch by limiting its own existence to three years. The eighth Parliament had four months to run, when it was overtaken by the usual fate of a violent death, and it would be no matter for surprise if the existing one come to a similar end by the middle of next year. Practically, therefore, the Limitation Act is a dead letter, for the necessities of Ministries have superseded it, and made the limit narrower still. Indeed, if the Governor had granted a dissolution every time an Administration asked for one, our Parliaments would have been annual instead of triennial, and the colony would have been harrassed by perpetual elections. That is not a desirable state of things, and it is worthy of consideration whether, as it is, there are not too many elections. The first session is usually occupied in ascertaining the strength of parties, and in familiarizing new members with the forms and procedure of the House. The last is as commonly occupied in preparing for an appeal to the electors, and then the cry is usually raised that a moribund Parliament ought not to deal with any great question, but wait for an appeal to the bar of public opinion. Thus there is practically only one session favourable for good legislation, and that can easily be wasted by a little political disturbance. So far, it must be confessed that a triennial Parliament has been no cure for wasted sessions in this colony, but appears rather to have been fruitful of influences that tend to make the waste still greater.

The twenty-nine sessions which make up the Parliamentary history of the period, lasted exactly six months each on the average, and the last was positively the longest on record. Twenty-four sessions were held prior to the passing of the Limitation Act, and only eight of these were prolonged beyond six months. Five sessions have been held since, and all of them, except one, have gone beyond that period. But the length of a session has no relation whatever to the importance of the business transacted. The Lands Acts were passed in a session of four months, and the Public Schools Act in one of less than six months. It may almost be accepted as a rule that the longer the session the less is the business done; and of late that rule has had no exception. Whose fault is that? Partly of loquacious members who talk without having anything to say, often for the very purpose of talking out measures to which they are opposed, and who thereby provoke retaliation. How far the present leaders of the two Houses are responsible for such tactics is not easily determined; but they have been influential members of fourteen out of our nineteen Administrations during the last twenty-three years, always in opposition to each other until now, and each in his turn has accused the other of the most vexatious obstruction, if not of "irresponsible hostility." It would be a poor compliment to them not to acknowledge that our Parliamentary life now is very much what they have made it, for one or other of them has held office for twenty out of the twenty-three years that have elapsed since the introduction of responsible Government. Each of them has made many promises to the country, which remain still unfulfilled, and each has cast the blame of failure upon the other. They have now an opportunity of showing what they can do together, and we sincerely hope that their policy for next session will prove as satisfactory as that of last session was illusory and disappointing. They have, together, many advantages which neither of them possessed separately, and not the least is the maturity of public opinion on several leading questions of the day, and the absolute necessity for settling some of them in a way that will prove satisfactory for a long time to come.

The speech of Sir SAMUEL WILSON at the Melbourne University, and the previous speech of Sir WILLIAM JERVOIS at the Adelaide University, have in those two colonies prominently called public attention to the question as to the status of classical studies in a University career. The same point has been the theme of very lively discussion in New Zealand. It is evident that the authorities in colonial Universities are being forced to face the problem on its practical, and we may say its utilitarian side. The matter is of special importance to us in this colony just now, because we are on the eve of expanding our grammar-school system. Last session the Assembly affirmed the expediency of establishing State grammar-schools in the principal towns, and the curriculum of these schools is sure to be a good deal affected by the demands of the University. The highest educational institution gives the tone, and practically the issue is settled there. It is true that if schools did not send up pupils the University would be starved, and schools are a little influenced by the predilections, and it may be the prejudices of parents. Still, on the whole, schools control the parents, more than parents control the schools, and the University governs the schools more than they affect the University.

As we have borrowed the notion of the type of the University from the old world, so we are a good deal influenced by the academical customs that prevail there, and we have an interest therefore in the changes, whether reforms or not, that are being advocated and effected. We may draw attention, therefore, to a recent notice by Professor BAIN, of what he calls the present aspect of the classical controversy. His specialty is psychology, and therefore he might be supposed to occupy a medium position between the classicists and the moderns. Still in the main he favours the study of psychology from the physiological side, and the tendency of all his writings is towards the encouragement of studies of observation, and of the scientific method, and therefore the weight of his authority is not only against the exclusive devotion of early life to the study of ancient languages, but he would even leave that study optional.

Mr. BAIN lays out the various alternatives that are now before the public, contending for the preference. First, there is the old-fashioned system of requiring proficiency in the two classical languages—a system more or less modified by super-adding to it as much as can be squeezed in of other subjects, but still always taking the two languages as the great feature, and as furnishing the main portion of the mental discipline. Experience shows that the addenda must not be very extensive, or very thoroughly gone into, if the standard of classical attainment is to be kept up to a really scholarly point.

That leads to the second proposal, which is that Greek should be given up in favour of modern studies, and only Latin be vigorously insisted on. If the strict classical system finds favour with old masters, with ripe classical scholars, and with clerics, this second proposal is much supported by the lay professions on the ground that Latin has a practical utility in professional life which Greek has not. Greek is an intellectual luxury, but it is one which, in this busy world, only a few even of the professional classes can afford to enjoy.

A third proposal is to give up both the ancient languages in favour of French and German, and Mr. BAIN points out that Mr. GLADSTONE, that great Homeric scholar, had actually included that option in his ill-fated Irish University Bill. If that Bill had been carried the Irish students would have had a full option for both the languages. The fourth scheme is that of a complete bifurcation of both the classical and modern sides. In some large schools this is already carried out. The definite wants of modern life are distinctly provided for, and the education is made to consist in an exclusive devotion to useful studies. Professor BAIN remarks that "as was to be expected the modern side is now demanding admission to the University on its own terms; that is to continue the same line of studies there, and to be crowned with the same distinction as the classical side. This attempt to render school and college homogeneous throughout, to treat ancient studies and modern studies as of equal value in the eye of the law, will, of course, be resisted to the utmost. Yet it seems the only solution that can bring about a settlement that will last."

Professor BAIN himself is not by any means an enthusiast, even for Latin, or indeed necessarily for any foreign language, and he points out that those who defend the classics now, do so principally on the ground of their drill, while at the same time the excellence of the teaching and the efficiency of the apparatus has been brought to such a point that the difficulty of learning has been minimised. He also lays great stress on the fact that though the drill of the classics may leave valuable results behind, only a few school boys and collegians get the benefit of the languages and their literature in after life. He seems disposed to treat this matter statistically, and calls for returns of the results upon the many thousands who have passed through classical drill. Professor CAMPBELL of St. Andrew's once remarked, with reference to the value of Greek, that the question would have to be ultimately decided by "the inner consciousness of those that have undergone the study." Such a return is not practicable, but the existing generation of parents are in a good position to ask themselves what they have consciously retained of their youthful studies. Their judgment would not necessarily be absolutely sound, because we are all apt to prefer the ideal to the actual, and to think that we should have done better if something in our early career had been different from what it was. Those who never underwent an effective drill in modern branches of knowledge cannot accurately say what would have been its effects upon them, and they are, perhaps, somewhat apt to undervalue the permanent, though unobserved, effects of classical drill. Still, parents, as well as teachers, are to a certain extent, experts in this matter, and they will have their voice in deciding it.

According to a statement by Mr. MURRAY SMITH, at Stawell, the other day, the Constitutional party in the Victorian Assembly has come to an agreement with a number of members in the Upper House in favour of the Norwegian scheme, by which protracted disputes between the two Chambers would be brought to a settlement by the members of both sitting and voting together. It would be well if the majority in the Upper House would incorporate this scheme with the Reform Bill introduced by Sir CHARLES SLADEN, because it would give it chance of support in the Assembly which could not otherwise be expected under existing circumstances. It would be a mistake to overlook the fact that a strong demand has arisen for what has been termed "finality of legislation." What the phrase means is really some method of securing a more speedy termination for disputes about legislation, and for removing the objection (theoretical though it be) that the Upper House might go on for ever vetoing the proposals of the Assembly. And Sir CHARLES SLADEN's bill was defective in not containing any special provision introduced for the express and avowed purpose of meeting that demand. Mr. BERRY's plebiscitum is a provision of that sort, and any Reform Bill coming

from the Council should embody some other and better arrangement as clearly intended to accomplish the same end. The plebiscitum is opposed to the principle and spirit of representative government. The Norwegian scheme is not. The plebiscitum would take the settlement of difficult and complicated questions out of the hands of deliberative bodies, trained to the work of legislation, and place it in the hands of the electors generally, with neither the training nor the opportunity for the right performance of legislative work. The Norwegian scheme would leave the business to the Legislature, and would have this merit, that members of the Upper House would have no excuse for suppressing their opinions and voting against their convictions, as they are often expected or advised to do under the present system. It would enable them to exercise their independence and show their honesty to the last moment, and to do all that in them lay to make converts of those from whom they differ.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The message which we publish this morning from our special correspondent in London is sufficient to excite something more than a feeling of interest. Russia, according to the statement not alone of the *Daily News*, but of other journals, is increasing her expeditionary forces in Central Asia. If the rumour is to be credited, an army is to advance in two columns—one from the Caucasus, the other from the Kirghiz territory. These columns are to converge upon Afghanistan and assist the rebellious tribes there to resist the English troops. It will be well, however, to read the present telegram in the light of the one we published a day or two ago, which was to the effect that a second severe engagement had taken place between the Russians and Turcomans, in which the former were repulsed with heavy loss, and had to retire in the direction of the Caspian. It may possibly turn out that this new advancing Russian force is being sent forward to punish the Tekke-Turcomans. Simultaneously with the announcement of the movement of Russian troops we receive information that the powerful Afghan tribe, the Ghilzais, have assembled in considerable numbers at Khushi, and threaten to cut the English communications between Cabul and the Indian frontier.

The rain on Saturday interfered to some extent with the attendance at the International Exhibition; but in spite of the weather between six and seven thousand persons were passed through the turnstiles. The increasing attendances afford gratifying evidence of the growing popularity of the great Exhibition. The flower, poultry, and dog shows were well patronised. All three were closed on Saturday evening. To-day is a shilling day, when a large attendance may again be expected. Pianoforte and violin recitals are to be given in the afternoon.

On Saturday evening the gentlemen of the literary and reporting staffs of the *Sydney Morning Herald*, *Sydney Mail*, and *Echo*, met together at the Brunswick Club, Castlereagh-street, for the purpose of entertaining at supper three of their number—Messrs. Charles Robinson, George Eld, and John Laing, who are leaving the *Herald* in order to take respectively the leadership, and second and third positions on the staff of the newly-formed Parliamentary *Hansard*. There were about twenty-four gentlemen present. Mr. Samuel Cook occupied the chair, and Mr. Hugh George the vice-chair. After a satisfactory repast had been disposed of, and due honour paid to the health of the Queen and the Royal Family, the Chairman proposed the toast of the evening, "The health of our Guests, and success to them in their new undertaking." The three gentlemen referred to briefly responded, and Mr. C. Robinson proposed "Prosperity to the *Herald*." The toast was acknowledged by Mr. Hugh George. The health of the Chairman was proposed by Mr. Curnow, and that of Mr. F. C. Brewer, who has lately returned from a visit to the old country, by Mr. W. E. Langley. This concluded the formal part of the proceedings, and the remainder of the evening was devoted to social enjoyment.

The following is the circular against gambling, betting, &c., issued by the Postmaster-General of Victoria to the Civil servants:—"With a view to prevent injurious comments upon the conduct of officers of the Post Office and Telegraph Department, whose duties are necessarily and closely connected with the daily business of the public, it is considered advisable to caution them, and all persons employed in these branches of the service, against gambling transactions of every kind, and especially the prevalent habit of betting or speculating pecuniarily on horse-races. The Postmaster-General trusts that all the officers concerned, bearing in mind their common interests, will discourage, as far as may lie in their power, the practices referred to, which will in every case be regarded as a bar to promotion, and if persisted in may lead to removal from the service.—J. B. Patterson, Postmaster-General."

Captain Onslow, R.N., M.L.A., addressed the electors of Camden on Friday night upon several leading questions of public interest at the present time. A report of his observations will be found in another page.

Mr. David Buchanan, M.L.A., delivered an address in the Temperance Hall, on Saturday night, choosing for his theme "Mitred Mountebanks and Lay and Surpliced Lunacy, in Contention with Sound Principle and Common Sense." The chair was occupied by the Hon. John Stewart, M.L.C., and the hall was not only crowded to excess, but a large number of persons were unable to obtain admission. Mr. Buchanan's utterances were characteristic of his general deliverances on questions of public import. Occasionally they were marked with invective or reproach against the Roman Catholic Hierarchy and the Denominational management of educational affairs. Frequently they were fervid, and altogether they seemed to be listened to with interest, for they were many times favoured with choruses of enthusiastic applause. Towards the close of the meeting a resolution affirming the desirableness of State-aid to Denominational schools being abolished without delay, was unanimously agreed to. A report of the address will be found in another page.

The cabmen's strike has not developed any new features of interest, except that during the stormy weather on Saturday morning, cabby lost many a chance of earning a few shillings, and a lot of people lost their tempers. The tone of public feeling is decidedly against the cabmen, for the refusal to proffer the fare card is generally looked upon as evincing a desire to keep the passenger in ignorance of the scale of charges. This is a wrong impression as regards the majority of our cabmen, but that it exists cannot be doubted. A curious incident occurred on Saturday. Jeremiah O'Brien was employed by two Union cabmen to drive them for a certain distance, and just as the vehicle arrived at the corner of Pitt and Bathurst streets, a couple of dissolute women stopped it, and commenced to insult the driver for remaining at work. They were not sparing of their abuse to those in the cab either, for they evidently did not know under what circumstances they were riding. The shower of bad language continued until a couple of Transit officials came up, when not only did the women slink away, but the occupants of the cab had to beat a retreat. In the morning a cabman was insulted while waiting for a fare at the Royal Hotel, George-street, and had it not been for the interference of Mr. J. Walter Smart, J.P., he might have been assaulted. Among those who surrounded him were several Union cabmen. An owner of three cabs called at the Transit Office in the afternoon, and while expressing anxiety to have them out, said that if they were put on duty at present, they would certainly be injured. These facts prove that cabmen who are willing to obey law are interfered with by those who declare and protest that in the interests of justice they are on strike. There will be a meeting of cabmen to-day at the Guild Hall, when the whole state of the case will be considered. On Saturday afternoon, at 6 p.m., a two-horse cab, with a gentleman in it, was coming out of the Garden Palace, when a number of bystanders, among whom were several cabmen, jeered the driver so loudly that they frightened the horses. The animals bolted up Macquarie-street, but luckily were stopped before they had gone any great distance. The epithets used by the men who did the mischief are said to have been very vile, and it is a pity that the ruffians cannot be identified and punished.

A telegram from Gulgong states that on Friday a neatly-illuminated address, signed by 200 of the principal residents of the district, was presented to Mr. George A. Reid, telegraph clerk and postmaster of Gulgong, by Mr. Thomas A. Brown, police magistrate, as a mark of esteem for the efficient and obliging manner in which he has managed the offices under his control during the last six years. The address would have been presented some months ago, had it not been for the illness of the chairman of the committee.

On Wednesday last a social reunion of the members of the Court Royal Albert, No. 1, I.O.R.F., and their friends took place at Thomas's Hotel, corner of Goulburn and George streets. Various toasts were drunk, and songs and recitations rendered; and a very pleasant evening was spent. The lodge has been established for eight years; it numbers at the present time 45 members, and its financial position is represented by a sum of nearly £500 in the bank.

Our New Zealand files from Wellington reach to the 10th October. A most dastardly attempt to upset a railway train was made at the Normanby station, some six miles south of Timaru. Shortly before the arrival of the last passenger train here from the south, a man named Walker noticed a heavy log of wood propped up with stones lying across the line, and he at once removed it.—During the next month five vessels are expected to arrive from England: two with Government immigrants and three with passengers, the number of souls to arrive in all the vessels expected being 1325.—The representatives of various hapus of the widely scattered Ngatiraukawa tribe were about to meet at Te Papa, 30 miles beyond Cambridge, to discuss the proposal made by the Government to have the main trunk road continued through the Ngatiraukawa lands to the Hot Lakes.

A public debate took place on Thursday evening, in the Congregational schoolroom, Ocean-street, Woollahra, between the members of the Alexandria and Woollahra Literary Institutes. The question at issue, "Whether knowledge increased human happiness?" was discussed in an animated and friendly manner by Messrs. Ridley, Sledge, and Macintosh in the affirmative on behalf of the Alexandria Institute, and by Messrs. Richardson, Sands, and Steel for the Woollahra Society in the negative. Alderman Neild occupied the chair, and, on putting the vote to the audience, declared the question carried in the negative by a very small majority of six votes.

The sale of plain and fancy work in aid of the funds of the Hospital for Sick Children, which was to have commenced on Saturday, was, in consequence of the inclemency of the weather, postponed until half-past 1 o'clock this afternoon. The sale will take place on the grounds of "Flinton," Glenmore Road. The object for which the varied articles are to be disposed of is one which cannot fail to commend itself to all benevolent minded persons, and we hope that the funds of the institution will be considerably augmented by the proceeds of the sale that is to take place.

On Saturday afternoon a flower service for the young was held in the schoolroom of the Pitt-street Congregational Church. The weather being very unpropitious, the attendance was small. The Rev. G. G. Howden delivered an address, enforcing several valuable lessons by means of floral illustrations. The children sang several hymns, and at the close of the services they placed together the bouquets of flowers which they had brought for presentation to the inmates of the Infirmary. It was decided that, as the attendance was so small, another service should be held in a fortnight's time.

After vespers at St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, Woollahra, last night, the choir repaired to the presbytery, where they presented to the Rev. Father Garvey an address, on the occasion of his departure for another sphere of labour, namely, at Hartley. The address was signed on behalf of the choir by Mr. Magney and Miss Compton. The address was couched in affectionate terms, and expressed regret at the separation that was to take place. Mr. Garvey acknowledged the expression of good feeling, and the kindly sentiments towards him contained in the address, in a few well-chosen words.

Another case of poisoning took place on Saturday afternoon, Mr. Horatio Marshall, landlord of the Rugby Arms Hotel, Botany-street, having died, it is supposed, from taking an overdose of strychnine. It seems that deceased had been ailing for some years past from rheumatism, and was in the habit of taking large doses of chlorodyne; he is said to have taken, on occasions, as much as three or four half-ounce bottles in one night. On Saturday, about 1 o'clock, he purchased some strychnine from Mr. Eames, chemist, and went home again. About 6 o'clock in the evening, being then in bed up-stairs, he called out to his sister, a Mrs. Carter, who lives in the house, saying that he had poisoned himself. Mrs. Carter immediately despatched a messenger for Dr. Schuette, but before the doctor arrived deceased had expired. On the bed on which deceased was lying was found a piece of paper, on which the words "Strychnine—poison" were written. Deceased was 33 years of age. An inquest will be held at 11 o'clock this morning.

Another of the Woollahra omnibuses came to grief last night. About 9 o'clock, 'bus No. 158 was passing down Pitt-street, having just come in from Woollahra, and when opposite Tattersall's Hotel, one of the springs broke, and the passengers had to turn out and walk.

A man named James Oates, 35, met with a serious accident yesterday. Some fellow sent a dog after him, and while running to get out of the way of the dog he tripped and fell, twisting his left foot under him. The result was that one of the bones of the foot was broken and the ankle dislocated. Oates, who is a married man, residing at Fort Macquarie, and employed at the Commissary Stores, was taken to the Infirmary, where he was admitted. Thomas Edwards, a lad 13 years of age, and residing with his parents in Foster-street, had his head cut very severely last night. He was playing near a dray, which was propped up, and in which were several children jumping about. Suddenly the prop fell, and the end of the shaft came down with full force on the lad's head, inflicting a large contused scalp wound about an inch and a half long. His mother took him to the Infirmary, where Dr. Brown dressed the injury. A man named Thomas Johnstone, 48 years of age, presented himself at the Central Police Station yesterday evening, in a very weak and enfeebled condition, and stated that he was ill and had no home to go to, and that he had been turned out of his late lodgings (Mrs. Thompson's, of Clarence-street), because he had no money. He also said that he had been all day trying to reach the police-station, having been turned out of his lodgings in the morning. He was taken to the Infirmary on a truck (there being no cabs), and there admitted.

An old woman, named Rebecca M'Mahon, about 60 years of age, was found lying dead on a sofa at her residence, in William-lane, Woolloomooloo, about half-past 3 o'clock on Saturday morning. Her husband last saw her alive about 11 o'clock on Friday night, at which time she seemed to be in good health. The City Coroner will hold an inquest upon the body this morning, at the Fitzroy Hotel, William-street.

A man named Thomas O'Hare, a shoemaker, 40 years of age, and residing at Marrickville, was brought to the Infirmary about half-past 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, suffering from a punctured wound of his left hip, caused by falling on a sharp-pointed shoemaker's knife, which he had in his pocket. He was under the influence of drink at the time, and was attempting to climb over a fence, when his foot slipped, and he fell on his side, the point of the knife entering the outer side of the hip, and inflicting a wound about an inch and a half deep. There was very great hemorrhage before he was noticed by constable Duffy, as he lay where he fell for some time. He was taken in a fainting condition to the Infirmary, where he received the treatment his case required.

The *Australasian* of Saturday says:—"In glancing through the stupendously long lecture delivered last week in Sydney by Mr. W. B. Dalley, and marking the eloquence and brilliancy and wit with which he deals with the representatives of the secular education principle, the thought will force itself on the mind how admirable a speech Mr. Dalley could have made on the other side, and in how masterly a way he could have exposed, had it been his province to do so, the singular assumption on which the Catholic claims are wholly founded. Mr. Dalley's intellect is too lucid and trenchant for him to be unconscious of the very strange circumstance, unparalleled in dialectics, that to make out even a shadow of a case he has to adopt the principles of his opponents—principles that are banned and denounced by his own Church. He cannot be insensible to the incongruity of his argument with the fact that in no country in which his Church has been predominant in temporal affairs has it granted to other religions the privilege he seeks for his own. He knows that the foundation of his case is the assumption that the State is bound to place all denominations on a footing of perfect equality, and to respect the consciences of all, and all alike. And he knows also that, when he is advancing these principles and the claims founded on them, he is relying on principles which his Church, in the person of its supreme and infallible authority, has denounced as worse than heresy and than infidelity. It is easy to imagine the intellectual delight, were it Mr. Dalley's cue to argue the other side of the case, with which he would show up the gross fallacy on which a claim is based when it is explicitly condemned by the principles of those who advocate it, and can only be tricked out into some semblance of validity by its supporters repudiating for the moment their most essential beliefs, and adopting those of their opponents, which they at other times condemn in the most unqualified manner, and always reject in practice. What a genuine ring of honest and scathing satire would then resound through his exposure of such a system, and of demands so grounded. It is always a pleasure to hear Mr. Dalley, whatever may be the cause he pleads; but his effort to evade so crucial a dilemma very much interfered with the display of his best qualities, and every impartial critic—looking at the case from a purely intellectual point of view—would very much prefer to hear him on the other side, dealing with the fallacy of which no one can be more conscious than himself."

The Presbyterian Church in Prince-street, Grafton (says the *Examiner*), had a narrow escape from fire, through the bursting of a kerosene lamp in the vestry, on Sunday evening, October 19. While the minister was preaching, a glass chimney was heard to break, and shortly after the lamp exploded. By the presence of mind of the minister (who stopped his discourse) and several members of the church, the flame was subdued in time; had the wood caught fire, no exertions could have saved the building from total destruction.

On the question of exporting cattle from Queensland, the *Cooktown Herald* writes:—"The stations in the magnificent pastoral country of the Flinders, Leichhardt, Burke, Diamantina, Gregory, and Herbert rivers are within easy distance of us, and the routes from and to the various runs are everything a drover or squatter could desire. We have an opportunity now which should not be neglected, and only a little energy is required to at least make a connection with the stationholders in the country indicated. A foreign market for our fat stock is first to be obtained, and to secure this we should follow the example of southern districts, benefiting by their experience and avoiding the errors which have in past days caused the failure of their operations. An attempt should be made to establish a trade with the East, and a trial shipment of cattle could be undertaken upon the combined efforts of our commercial men. Japan is within easy sail of this port, and we think no attempt has yet been made to open up commercial relations with that country. The population of Japan is large and meat-consuming, and a good demand for live stock, especially cattle, could, we think, be easily induced. New Caledonia also imports largely in fat stock, and the principal colonial port of supply at present is Newcastle. We are here within less than half the distance from the market, and surely should be able to compete successfully with any southern port."

A moonlight excursion and concert will take place this evening, at the Ivanhoe Park pavilion, in aid of the funds of the local fire brigade. Several ladies and gentlemen will render the vocal part, and the St. Augustine's Brass Band (under bandmaster Bishop) will accompany the Fairlight, which leaves Circular Quay at half-past 7 p.m.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL,

VIA TORRES STRAITS, AT COOKTOWN.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

COOKTOWN, Sunday.

The E. and A. M. S. Co.'s steamship Somerset arrived to-day.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

LONDON, Sept. 12.

Contradicting the statement made in a Lahore telegram, published by the *Daily News* on the 10th instant, Horace Walpole writes from the India Office to the papers the following:—"Lord Cranbrook's attention has been called to a telegram from Lahore, published in the *Daily News* to-day, containing an epitome of news from civil and military gazettes. As the information received from the Viceroy does not bear out the statement made in the *News'* epitome, I am desired by Lord Cranbrook to forward to you the enclosed copy of extracts from recent telegrams received by him, and request you to publish them in your next issue. Extracts from telegrams arrived from the Governor-General of India. 26th July, 1879, following message received from Cavagnari:—'Cabul, 24th July: Embassy entered Cabul this morning; received most brilliant reception; Ameer's demeanour most friendly. 30th July, 1879; Cavagnari telegraphs—Cabul, 27th July, all well; had interview with Ameer, and delivered presents. August 6th, 1879: All continues well at Cabul; envoys and staff rode through city bazaar on the 30th July; people orderly; officers of embassy move freely about the city environs. The Ameer is very friendly, and shows every disposition to act up to the treaty; sent horses with specimens country produce to embassy. 13th August, 1879: Reports from Cabul states that the turbulence of some regiments arrived from Herat caused excitement which is now subsiding. 21st August, 1879: Cabul reports all well; August 23, 1879, all well with Cabul Embassy; September 3, 1879, all well in Cabul Embassy; a fresh outbreak of cholera is reported.'"

The Orient, the largest passenger steamer ever built at Glasgow, started on the 10th on a trip from the Clyde to the Thames to take her place amongst the Orient Steam Navigation Co.'s direct line of steamers from London to Australia. Her speed on the measured mile exceeds seventeen knots.

Senor Canovas Del Castillo has accepted the mission to proceed to Vienna to ask the hand of the Archduchess Mione Christoe, from the Emperor of Austria, in the name of King Alfonso. The Spanish Government will apply to the Pope for a dispensation, previous to the marriage, on account of the relationship between the King and the Archduchess.

Upon the arrival of the Austrian troops at Plevlege, on the 10th, Mustapha Pacha, the Turkish commandant, in pursuance of orders received from the Porte protested against the entry of troops and the Austrian occupation of entrenchment, and demanded that there should be a joint garrison of Austrian-Turkish troops. General Killies, the Austrian commander, on the ground of the convention concluded with the Porte, and the arrangement made with Husori Pasha, who had promised the withdrawal of the Turkish garrison, declared his determination to enter the town. The Austrian troops made the entry immediately afterwards without opposition.

EASTERN NEWS.

HONGKONG, Oct. 9.

There is no Eastern news from Singapore.

Governor Pope Hennessy returned on the 6th.

Letters from Pekin state that great secrecy is observed, and no news of a trustworthy character can be obtained respecting the negotiations between China and Russia about Kuldga. So far, reasons exist showing that the Chinese claims are held valid by Russia.

The Sweedish exploring ship Vega arrived at Yokohama on the 3rd September, having accomplished the north-east passage, proving it open for trade for two months annually.

CANTON, Sept. 23.

The Ho Ching is loading Chinese at Canton, for Honolulu.

Exchange on London, is 3s. 8d.

THE ADELAIDE TELEGRAM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Will you allow me to state that there is not the slightest foundation for the paragraph in the telegram of the *Adelaide Advertiser*:—"He," i.e., the Bishop of Sydney, "says the proposal was prompted by an insane hatred of Popery." Canon Smith's action I condemned. With his motives I did not concern myself, but I should be one of the last persons to attribute a hatred of Popery to insanity. I remain, Sir, yours &c.,

Bishopscourt, Sydney, October 25. F. SYDNEY.

LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

[By Electric Telegraph.]

OUR SPECIAL TELEGRAM.

(From our London Correspondent.)

RUMOURED RUSSIAN EXPEDITION.

LONDON, Oct. 25.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Daily News* states that Russia is preparing two great expeditions, one from Orenburg for Turkestan, under the command of General Kaufmann, and the other from the army of the Caucasus, which will converge upon Afghanistan, and assist the rebellious tribes there to resist the English troops. A similar rumour is published in other papers.

(Reuter's Telegrams.)

THE MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON'S SPEECH.

LONDON, Oct. 24.

The Marquis of Hartington, in a speech before the Liberals at Manchester, declared that it was now impossible to maintain the treaty of Gundamack. The abdication of Yakoob Khan precluded the possibility of a British Resident remaining at Cabul without protection. In explaining the policy of the Liberals, in the event of their being called to power, he said their duty would be to respect the obligations of their predecessors entered into with other countries, on behalf of England, who should combine to secure European peace. They would oppose aggression, and protect the weak.

DISTURBANCES AT THE TRANSVAAL.

LONDON, Oct. 24.

Advices received from Capetown to the 15th instant state that there have been serious disturbances amongst the Boers at Middleburgh, in order to quell which Sir Garnet Wolseley was obliged to forward the first Dragoon Guards.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON AUSTRALIAN DEFENCES.

LONDON, Oct. 24.

The Royal Commission, on Australian and other defences, held its first sitting yesterday.

THE AFGHAN REBELLION.

BOMBAY, Oct. 25.

Advices from Cabul state that the Ghilzais, regarding whom apprehensions were lately felt, have assembled in considerable numbers at Khushi, and threaten to cut the communications between Shutar Gardan and Cabul. General Roberts is adopting precautionary measures.

THE MAILS.

GALLE, Oct. 24.

The R. M. S. Tanjore, with the Australian mails for England, arrived here to-day.

(From our own Correspondents.)

PARRAMATTA.

Saturday.

Mr. William Byrnes, an old resident, died early this morning after a short illness. He was well respected.

Last night a supper was given by the members of the Cumberland Band at George Stone's Vauxhall Hotel, for the purpose of presenting their bandmaster, Mr. James Garling, with a testimonial. About thirty gentlemen were present, and Mr. Hugh Taylor presided.

NEWCASTLE.

Saturday.

The Royal Exchange Hotel, in Hunter-street, suffered a narrow escape from fire this evening, owing to the window-blind being blown into contact with a lighted candle. Several persons rushed up stairs promptly and extinguished the flames. This is the second time within a few weeks that the same premises were threatened with fire from a similar cause.

Something that points to a singular act of suicide has just been brought to light in an extraordinary manner. Last Wednesday a Chinaman named William Young, from Lake Macquarie, brought to Wood, Brothers' brewery twenty-six dozen empty bottles collected by him around the shores of the lake. One of these bottles was to-day found to contain a piece of paper on which was written in pencil a memorandum, signed "James Vine," stating that he was about to commit his body to the deep; that he was wretched, and his friends had deserted him. The paper bears no date, but the bottle appears to have been exposed some few months. No such person is reported missing, but the police are making inquiries.

WEST MAITLAND.

Saturday.

The body of a man was found in the Hunter River at Lochinvar, opposite Kaindah estate, by some boys yesterday. From its appearance the body would seem to have been in the water for some days. At the inquest held to-day, at the Red Lion Inn, Lochinvar, before District Coroner Pearse and a jury of twelve, the evidence given was of an obscure character, and deceased was not identified. An open verdict was returned. The police are making further inquiries.

A thousand persons attended the Paterson Orange demonstration yesterday. Everything passed off quietly. Pastor Allen was among the visitors.

The following additions have been made to the Morpeth races:—Flying Handicap: Kanaka, 6 st. 10 lbs.; Little Nell, 6 st. 10 lbs.; Gertie, 6 st. 10 lbs.; Stanley, 5 st. 12 lbs.; Æolus, 5 st. 7 lbs.

A special meeting of the Northern Jockey Club will be held on Monday for the purpose of considering the position of the club, and making arrangements for future operations.

COPELAND NORTH.

Saturday.

The Star Company, Anderson's reef, crushed 8 tons for 23 oz. May and Robinson, of the Rose and Thistle, crushed 5½ tons for 31 oz.

The weather is showery.

TAMWORTH.

Saturday.

William Lancaster, a much respected resident, was thrown from his horse whilst training the animal on the racecourse, for the November races here. He received internal injuries, from which he died shortly after. He leaves a wife and family.

ARMIDALE.

Saturday.

Mr. Terry addresses the electors to-night.

Much discussion is taking place over the appointment of the new Police Magistrate. Public opinion is decidedly in favour of the appointment being given to an entire stranger to the district, and a meeting is contemplated to protest against the appointment of local applicants.

We had a heavy storm last night.

WELLINGTON.

Saturday.

We have had showery weather during the week, accompanied with high winds. On Thursday the thermometer rose to 86° in the shade. This morning it is 60°.

A carpenter named Webster fell from the roof of the goods shed now being erected. He was conveyed to the hospital, where he lies in a precarious state.

A Masonic lodge, under the title of "The Wellesley Lodge," was inaugurated this week. The brethren celebrated the event with a lunch.

A brewery is about to be established in town.

The crops look well. It is believed that rust has not made its appearance yet.

PARKES.

Saturday.

Kidney and Maris struck rich gold in their quartz claim at Currajong on Thursday. They washed twelve ounces of gold from a few dishes of dirt and broken stone. This claim adjoins Hackett and party, who are now raising excellent stone. S. Croix and party have also struck good alluvial gold, giving splendid prospects. A good number of miners are on the ground to-day. Cooke and Mathieson's cultivation paddocks are pegged out in all directions. Nothing definite has been received from M'Cland's party yet on M'Guigan's lead. They expect to wash early next week.

A very heavy thunderstorm, accompanied by hail and rain, took place on Thursday. The weather is fine to-day, and the country looks splendid.

WAGGA WAGGA.

Saturday.

Last night a man named R. W. Thornton was arrested for passing a valueless cheque. Thornton arrived here a few days ago, and called on the principal residents announcing his intention of starting a grammar school. He rented large premises from Mr. Evans, and advertised in the local papers. He then visited several business houses and made purchases, tendering his cheque on the Bank of New South Wales, Sydney. He received a few pounds in change from Mr. Seymour, who becoming suspicious, wired for information as to the worth of the cheque, and the reply came "No account." Thornton was brought up this morning at the Police Court, and remanded till Friday next.

QUEENSLAND.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

At a meeting of leading Brisbane drapers, yesterday, it was agreed to close their shops at six o'clock on Saturday evenings, instead of ten o'clock as at present.

Several petty burglaries have taken place lately. On Friday night the premises of Reynolds, the printer, were entered, and four pounds and a number of documents were abstracted.

COOKTOWN, Sunday.

H. M. S. Beagle arrived on Saturday from Thursday Island.

The steamer Thales, from Hongkong via Port Darwin, got ashore near Port Darwin, and again near Thursday Island, but is not much damaged.

VICTORIA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Visitors are already arriving from the other colonies for the races. A grand parade of horses with colours mounted takes place at Flemington on Monday, when a number of visitors will proceed to the course by special train.

The Cuzco (s.), and the Northumberland (s.), proceeded to Sydney to-day.

Sunday.

The Naval and Military sports, on the Melbourne Ground yesterday, were very successful. The "tug of war," which was won by the Naval Reserve, caused a good deal of excitement.

In the intercolonial practice match yesterday—Intercolonial team against 15—, on the East Melbourne Ground, the Fifteen scored 106, and the Intercolonial Team 134, the latter thus winning by 30 runs and one wicket. Slight made 36, and Horan 31. Palmer took 8 wickets for 18 runs.

The band played a selection of sacred music in the Fitzroy Gardens to-day, in aid of the Hospital, and drew a large crowd.

James Timothy, a young lad, and fourth officer of the Afghan, was found late on Saturday night dead on the suburban railway, the train having evidently passed over him. It was probably an accident.

The weather is beautifully fine.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE, Saturday.

The Governor attended the Legislative Council at noon, to prorogue Parliament. He assented to the measures which were passed during the session, but reserved for the Queen's assent the Act to authorise the introduction of native labour into the Northern Territory. His Excellency's speech concluded as follows:—"I am happy in being assured that the prospects of the approaching harvest are such as to excite general hopefulness, that our commercial interests are assuming an encouraging phase, and that the well-being of the inhabitants of the province continues to inspire confidence in the stability of our resources." Parliament stands prorogued till January 30.

Sunday.

A man named Benjamin Judkins was sentenced to a month's imprisonment, for using insulting language on the occasion of delivering a lecture in a public thoroughfare, on the Demoralising Influences of the Police.

A team of thirty members of the Rifle Association fired a match against the Volunteers, at Glanville Ranges, on Saturday, at 200, 400, 500, and 600 yards, seven shots at each range. The Association made 2253 points, against 1814. This is the first time that the Riflemen have tried their skill against the Volunteers in regular matches.

Pleuro-pneumonia is said to be spreading in the neighbourhood of Mailland, Yorke's Peninsula, and the disease is assuming a most serious aspect. At a meeting there the farmers passed resolutions urgently requesting the Government to appoint a local inspector of cattle at once.

NEW ZEALAND.

[By Cable.]

WELLINGTON, Saturday.

The majority of the Press have expressed gratification at the termination of the dead-lock.

The Elections and Qualifications Committee to-day declared that Mr. Richardson was entitled to the Christchurch seat.

The Government majority is now five, but the Opposition are making strenuous endeavours to induce a number of Otago members to desert the Government.

Mr. Rees, an ex-member, has issued a writ, under the Disqualification Act, against Mr. Colbeck, on the ground that he is a Government contractor.

The unemployed are agitating.

MASSACRE BY CLOUDY BAY NATIVES.

[By Telegraph.]

(From our own Correspondent.)

COOKTOWN, Sunday.

The Government schooner Spitfire returned to-day from a cruise. She was boarded by Captain Webb, of the schooner Pride of the Logan, who reports the massacre of a portion of his crew, including Alexander Drew, publican, and Thomas Gavier, master mariner, both of Cooktown; Henry Mulholland, and a Malay woman (his wife), also another Malay woman, and three Chinese, by the natives of Cloudy Bay, near New Guinea. Captain Webb states that he was fishing on a reef, and upon returning to his vessel found her completely gutted, and saw the natives with a rope hauling her ashore. He jumped aboard, cut the hawser, and having slipped the anchor stood out from the bay. He returned next day, but could see nothing of the crew, and the natives having taken all the arms and ammunition he could not land. He therefore made sale for Cooktown. The Spitfire returns to Cloudy Bay immediately.

SPORTING.

MELBOURNE AMATEUR TURF CLUB RACES.

[By Telegraph.]

(From our own Correspondent.)

MELBOURNE, Saturday.

At the Amateur Turf Club Races at Caulfield to-day there was a good attendance, and the weather was fine.

The following are the results of the racing:—

Hurdle Race.—Camel 1, Nemo 2, Carlisle 3. Won easily. Carlisle was a moderate third, but the rest were never in it. Eleven horses started, and Doubtful was the favourite.

Sapling Stakes.—Sir Joseph 1, Totalisator 2, Stanley 3. Sir Joseph won with a fine rush in the last fifty yards. He was the favourite at 7 to 4. Sixteen started. Time, 1 minute 6 seconds.

Steeplechase.—Turpin 1, Doubtful 2. Starlight came in a long way in front, but a protest was entered against him for going inside a flag post, and the stewards gave the race to Turpin. Ten horses started.

Spring Handicap.—Timothy 1, Success 2, Chatterbox 3. Won comfortably. Levant was the favourite, and twelve started. Time, 2 minutes 28½ seconds.

Hunters' Stakes.—Highflyer 1, Swiss Boy 2, Beresford 3. Won easily. Midnight made the running until he fell, and Highflyer then took first place, and led all the way. Eight started.

Wind-up Gallop.—Trump Yoss 1, Stockson 2, Phillistia 3. This was a fine race, and Trump Yoss, after a good finish, won in the straight by a neck. Thirteen started.

ARRIVAL OF THE ENGLISH MAIL,

VIA SAN FRANCISCO.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamer City of New York arrived in Port Jackson about 11 o'clock last night. Her dates are—London, September 11; San Francisco, September 29; Auckland, October 22.

We take the following European news (by telegraph) from the San Francisco papers to September 28:—

GREAT BRITAIN.

London, September 2.—European advices state that the losses sustained this year by English farmers from bad crops are estimated at £15,000,000 on corn, £15,000,000 on potatoes, £15,000,000 on hay, and £1,200,000 in hops. England will have to import 16,000,000 quarters of wheat this year, against 14,000,000 last year. Later advices state that the surplus of wheat in America, Russia, and the East, is 5,050,000 quarters less than the aggregate deficiency in the various countries. The Stock Exchange closed to day for repairs.

London, August 30th.—The *Financier* says: About £400,000 worth of bullion is expected to be shipped by the Liverpool steamer to-day. A Paris correspondent writes: Gold continues to be sent to the United States for the purchase of wheat. The steamer St. Laurent, which sails to-day for New York, takes £600,000, a part of which is on English account. Gold in lesser quantities, amounting in all to £200,000 has been sent to Hungary, Roumania, and other parts of Europe for the same purpose.

London, September 2.—The *Financier* says: "It is understood that £176,141 worth of bar gold due from the East will go to meet the American demand. One hundred thousand pounds brought by steamer Para last week has already been disposed of for America. One hundred and eighty thousand pounds are due here from the east on the 25th instant. As these amounts are all that are now in transit from the East, the whole amount of what ever demand may arise from the United States will fall on stock held by the Bank of England, unless remittances from France come to our aid." In addition to gold withdrawn from the Bank of England yesterday, £50,000 (amount received from the East), about £169,000 was disposed of, as anticipated, for shipment to New York.

London, September 1.—The reduction of wages by the Staffordshire earthenware and china manufacturers is partly attributed to American protective duties. Employers desire to return to the scale of wages paid in 1871.

The proprietors of the Burnley coal fields give notice of a reduction in the price of coal and wages.

Another party of farmers, numbering about twenty, left Liverpool on Saturday for America.

London, September 11th.—The Manchester *Guardian* says: "In consequence of the cheapness of provisions the fall in wages is not anything like so serious in its effects upon the condition of working-people as the measure of reduction appears to indicate. Although at the present moment the cotton industry is overshadowed by menacing clouds, there are already clearly discernible signs of returning prosperity. The importance of favourable rains in Asia can hardly be exaggerated, and we will reasonably hope that the next year in India and China may be prosperous. The revival of enterprise in America also means renewal of activity in international trade."

London, September 12th.—The farmers who sailed on the 11th instant for Canada, to investigate the advantages of settlement in the Dominion, represent Roxburghshire, Berwickshire, and Dumfriesshire, Scotland; Durham, Cumberland, and Yorkshire, England; also the eastern and southern counties of England, and several districts in Ireland.

Aston-Under-Tyne, September 9.—One of the greatest struggles ever known in the cotton trade here will probably be entered upon by the end of this week. Employers decline to withdraw their notice of five per cent. reduction of wages, and the spinners and weavers are determined to resist the reduction. If a strike ensue nearly all the working people in Ashton district will be involved, and the strike will probably be protracted, as the Spinners' Union is amply provided with funds.

London, September 10.—Cotton operatives at Ashton and neighbourhood held the largest meeting to-day ever known in that district, and unanimously decided to strike to-morrow. The operatives will not have to resort to the funds of the Trades Union for a fortnight.

London, September 13.—The North Lancashire Cotton Operatives' Association have issued an energetic appeal to their masters against the reduction of wages, urging its uselessness for the improvement of trade, which would be better attained by the adoption of short-time working for a few months. They argue that a reduction of wages will eventually, by decreasing the purchasing power of the country, ruin the home trade, and reduce operatives to pauperism or serfdom.

London, September 15th.—The cotton operatives on a strike at Ashton number between 8000 and 11,000. The streets are crowded by unemployed, but little excitement is manifested.

Serious complications are arising at Preston.

The operatives in the mills of Horrockses and Co., are expected to submit to five per cent. reduction of wages, but the operatives in the Sovereign Mills have struck.

The Preston Operatives' Association has issued a protest accusing some of the masters of exceeding the reduction mutually agreed upon, and recommending curtailment in the reduction.

London, September 25.—The cotton operatives, on a strike at Ashton, will resume work next Monday, at a five-per-cent. reduction.

London, September 24.—John Henry Puleston, member of Parliament, has sailed from Liverpool for Philadelphia, on a brief visit to the United States, to investigate subjects connected with agriculture in America, in its relation to British interests.

London, September 17.—The *Times* says:—We have every reason to anticipate a reviving trade. It will find our capitalists better able to take advantage of it than in former years, in consequence of the cautious attitude they have maintained by refusing to support speculative concerns like so many companies now being launched in Paris. The course being pursued in Paris is the one dangerous element which mars an otherwise generally promising commercial prospect. Although the revenue of France has been wonderfully elastic of late years, the grain harvest this year is a partial failure and the silk crop here is not even half an average yield. As regards England, judging from the very sensible decrease of commercial failures, there is reason to believe the purging process has at length prepared the way for a revival of prosperity. We hear much less about the depreciation of silver affecting trade with the East.

The cotton operatives of Bedford, new mills at Leigh, struck against a 5 per cent. reduction of their wages, and the masters threaten to close the mills, which are extensive, alleging that they can buy goods cheaper than they can produce them.

London, September 23.—A Paris correspondent says:—On both of the main points which induced the interview between the Marquis of Salisbury, the British Foreign Secretary, and M. Waddington, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, namely, the Greek and Egyptian questions, the understanding is complete. As to the plans attributed to Austria, Germany, and Russia, it is naturally held that neither France nor England have to pay much attention to them or modify in any way the policy each is pursuing. Bismarck's visit to Andrassy is merely designed to show the cordiality and unity of the views of the statesman and Count Andrassy, in all probability, will retire from his present office only to become the third great Chancellor in Europe, while Baron Haymerle will fill, in Austria, the specialist rôle filled in Germany by Count Von Bulow. Bismark, after the Berlin Congress, had two Chancellor candidates in view. If he has not succeeded in Russia, where Gortschakoff's age protects him from any change, he will at least succeed in Austria, and Count Schouvaloff is still young enough to wait his turn patiently. There is no reason why the future Austrian Chancellor should have a different policy from that which he had as Minister of Foreign Affairs.

London, September 28.—Notices of 10 per cent. reduction of wages were posted on Saturday at nearly all the earthenware and china manufactories in the Stafford potteries. The men are determined to resist this reduction, which will effect 60,000 operatives.

FRANCE.

Paris, September 10.—The Bank of France is daily losing large sums in gold twenty-franc pieces purchased for export.

The Franco-American Union intends organizing a grand fête, the proceeds of which will be divided among families of the victims of yellow fever in the Mississippi valley.

The transport Var, with amnestied Communists, has arrived at Port Vendres. There was no demonstration. The Communists are entirely destitute; the majority of them will be sent to Paris.

GERMANY.

Berlin, September 26.—The German quarrel with Japan is said to be getting more serious. A German steamer was recently authorised by the German Envoy to the Mikado to break the cholera blockade at Yokohama, in consequence of which Japan is changing the cholera regulations concerted between Japan and the Christian Powers. America sides with Japan, but England supports Germany.

Vienna, September 27.—It is said that extensive preparations are being made for further negotiations in matters relating to trade, and the means of communication between Germany and Austria.

AUSTRIA.

London, September 10.—A *Times* Vienna correspondent learns, from a good source, that the Cabinets of Russia and Germany are arranging a meeting at Berlin between Bismarck and Gortschakoff.

A correspondent at Vienna hears from an absolutely trustworthy source that the Emperor of Germany visited the Czar in consequence of the Czar having written to the Emperor expressing dissatisfaction at the demonstration of friendship between Austria and Germany to the exclusion of Russia.

The Austrian State Railway Company is officially supported by Austro-Hungary in its endeavour to obtain a concession for the construction of Servian railways. It is

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stated that Austria threat... to occupy the principality and construct railways by force, if Servia will not yield to her proposals.

London, September 15.—A dispatch from Rome says: Since the excitement concerning Colonel Haymerle's pamphlet, *Italia Irredenta*, has subsided, both Count Andrassy and Baron Haymerle have assured the Italian Ambassador at Vienna that they regret its publication, and disapprove of the political comments contained in it. Baron Haymerle added that in succeeding Count Andrassy, his earnest endeavours would be directed to the maintenance and increase of friendly feeling between Austria and Italy.

Paris, September 26.—The *Débats* asserts that Queen Victoria has written to the Emperor of Austria, expressing gratification at the appointment of Baron Haymerle as Minister of Foreign Affairs, and at the consolidation of the good relations between Austria and Germany.

Belgrade, September 26.—An affray has occurred on the Danube, between Orsova, in Austria, and Tekia, in Servia, between Austrian smugglers and Servian Custom-house officers, in which ten men were killed. Reinforcements have been sent to Orsova, as it is feared that fighting will be renewed. The navigation of that part of the Danube is temporarily unsafe.

ITALY.

Rome, September 2.—Reports received by the Minister of Agriculture confirm the bad accounts concerning the crops. The yield of maize in several provinces is only half that of ordinary years, while in several places it is considerably below the average. The wheat crop is also generally unfavourable, and the production will be equal only to a third of that of 1878.

The Pope has been confidently asked if he will try to make peace between King Alfonso and Don Carlos, and induce the latter to resign his pretensions to the throne of Spain. His Holiness replied he could not interfere, but would give advice and counsel. He suggested Count de Chambord as peacemaker.

Rome, September 27.—The Vicar Patriarchial of Constantinople having arranged the differences with the Porte, will shortly arrive in Rome to conclude a favourable convention for the regulation of the rights of the Roman Catholic Church in Turkey.

RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, September 10th.—The *Gazette* says the massacre of the members of the English mission to Afghanistan obliterates the scientific frontier between that country and India, and makes necessary the occupation of the whole of Afghanistan by the British, but this is incompatible with the assurance given by England to Russia, with whom there must be an understanding in regard to the measures of satisfaction taken by England. The *Gazette* proceeds to recommend a solution by partition of Afghanistan, so as to bring the English and Russian dominions in contact in Central Asia.

London, September 16.—The *Times* says:—The extraordinary controversy now alarming Europe, of a supposed misunderstanding between Gortchakoff and Bismarck, shows what dangerous stuff is all around us. A ring of interested speculators in confusion seems to have half persuaded an illustrious statesman that the greatness of one mighty empire is incompatible with the greatness of another. For the Russian and German nations at present the difficulty appears to be to manufacture reasons for flying at each other's throat. Their interests are in no respect opposed, neither is any territory coveted by the other. We believe much of this flourishing of swords will be found to be merely an exercise of fencing schools, but it is time the masters come forward and reassure mistrustful Europe.

London, September 15.—The St. Petersburg *Golos* considers the present a favourable opportunity for Russia to consolidate and strengthen her power in Bokhara. The *Golos* says:—"We would admit England's right to occupy Cabul and Candahar, provided Herat was transferred to Persia, and Russia received a strip of territory on the left bank of the Attrek, which would serve as a basis for her advance on Merv. The *Vendomosti* (Russian semi-official paper) suggests that the opportunity is a good one for Russia to deal England a deadly blow in Central Asia. Russia has completed the survey of the route for the proposed railway to Central Asia.

St. Petersburg, September 24.—The Chinese Ambassador and suite have gone to Livadia to visit the Czar and exchange ratifications of the treaty between Russia and China, by which the latter acquires Kuldja. The Ambassador will then return to China, leaving a permanent mission at St. Petersburg, under one of his present staff.

London, September 26.—Russian official messengers state that 2987 fires occurred in Russia during August, causing damage to property to the amount of 20,000,000 roubles.

London, September 27.—A last caution has been given to the Russian newspaper *Ruskaia Pravda*. Several Russian journals within the last few weeks have made a bold attack upon the Russian Government respecting the Turcoman expedition, the cession of Kuldja to China, and the disregard of all economy in public services.

It is reported from several quarters that a new Russian 4½ per cent. loan of 15,000,000 or 20,000,000 dollars is about to be offered in London. The money is to be used for the construction of railways. It is also intimated that another and larger loan on account of war material may be expected.

MISCELLANEOUS.

London, September 28.—A correspondent at Constantinople says that Prince Labanoff is the bearer of a project for an alliance between Russia and Turkey. It is rumoured that Russia is willing to renounce 800,000,000 francs of the war indemnity, and to give back some of the former provinces of Turkey in Asia.

Alexandria, September 10.—A well-informed local paper states that the Egyptian Government has acceded to the American demand to be represented on the Commission of Liquidation of the Egyptian debt.

London, September 1.—A despatch to the *Daily News* from Constantinople says:—A meeting of Englishmen was held here on Sunday, at which a memorial was adopted to be sent to Lord Salisbury, protesting against the proposed new taxes on foreigners in Turkey.

A despatch to the *Times* from Rangoon says:—Colonel Brown, the British Resident at Mandalay, has left, as the Government could not keep an officer of his rank where he was not treated with respect. The moderate party is gaining ground.

Bucharest, September 10.—The maize crop has failed in most districts in Roumania. The yield in Wallachia is especially small.

London, September 12.—King Mtesa, ruling near Victoria Nyanza, Africa, has abolished slavery throughout his dominions. At least half a million slaves were to be liberated on Saturday.

Madrid, September 24.—Intelligence has been received from Tangier that a Spanish war ship had arrived at that port with important despatches for the Spanish Minister. It is generally believed that Spain has claimed from Morocco six million dollars for the use of the fishery grounds of Agadir, near Mogador, which the Moors ceded to Spain, but which were never used by the Spaniards. It is said the Spanish Government, fearing an accusation of negligence in the Cortes, desire to obtain some concession from the Moors before that body meets.

Brussels, September 25.—The Belgian Bishops have instructed the clergy to refuse absolution to parents whose children frequent public schools, and to teachers and pupils in normal schools.

Paris, September, 25.—M. Teisserenc de Bort, Ambassador to Vienna, telegraphs to Waddington, Minister of Foreign Affairs, that Bismarck called on him and they had a very satisfactory interview. Bismarck expressed his desire to maintain the existing cordial relations between Germany and France.

TRAMWAYS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—With your permission I should like to make a few remarks in answer to Mr. A. Moffitt's letter on tramways, October 22, 1879. He says, before the Government take any action in the matter, it is to be hoped that the experience of the Pitt-street tramway will have some weight on the other side.

Now, it is hardly fair to classify the Pitt-street tramway with the present one, for it must be patent to any one who has seen the two that they are as different as it is possible for two things to differ. The Pitt-street tramway was constructed on an antiquated principle, and stood above the level of the street, impeding the traffic; the present one, on the Larsen principle, below the level of the street, facilitating traffic; the proof of which will be seen from the fact that nearly all the traffic is confined to the line along Elizabeth-street. Mr. Moffitt raises another objection to it, on the grounds that a horse of the least spirit would not stand it. Well, I remember some years ago when the hydrant was first introduced, it was almost impossible to get a horse past it; now that they have become so familiar with them that they take little or no notice of them, the same result will follow as they become accustomed to the steam-motors.

As for the depreciation of property, I cannot for the life of me see how it can affect that; seeing that there will be less dust and noise, that must certainly be a saving of time and property to the trades people, and I am sure that will not divert the trade more than does the ordinary 'bus traffic.

October 25. W. H. RIDLEY.

THE BLIND ASYLUM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Having noticed a letter in your paper, calling the attention of the public to the so-called "Blind Asylum," will you kindly insert a few more lines on the same subject. I have reason to know that there is altogether a false impression abroad respecting this most unfortunate part of our fellow-creatures.

Few of the benevolent subscribers to the present very excellent institution at Newtown are aware that there is absolutely no blind asylum in New South Wales. That useful establishment is a school, in which a few blind (with a very large proportion of "deaf and dumb") are maintained and educated for a sum of about £25 per annum, until the age of fourteen or sixteen years. The adult blind, some of them educated and industrious, are entirely without a refuge but the poor-house, or are dependant on relations who can barely support themselves.

The benevolent donor of the money by which the present structure was erected is understood to have done so in memory of his mother (herself a blind woman) in pity to those similarly afflicted. The expenditure on the building (surely unnecessarily handsome for the poor sightless creatures for whose comfort it was designed) is reported to have involved the management in debt; but in a colony in which the public seem ready to contribute to almost any object, it can only be from misconception as to the other institution that this is suffered to remain for years unoccupied.

I beg to remain respectfully yours. VERA.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE ROYAL.

At the Theatre Royal on Saturday evening "Struck Oil," and "The Chinese Question," were again produced to an exceedingly good house; the lower priced parts of the theatre being remarkably well filled, and the dress circle tolerably good. The pieces went with quite their usual amount of success, particularly "Struck Oil," which has a romance attached to it that few can think of without a pleasant feeling.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

At the Victoria Theatre, on Saturday evening, "Ten Nights in a Barroom" and "Black Eyed Susan" were produced to a tolerably good house. Neither piece is a novelty in Sydney, but they were both represented on Saturday night with a considerable amount of success, Mr. Rainford, Miss Watt-Tanner, and others of the company playing their parts with considerable credit.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Liza Eccles was played again at the Queen's Theatre, on Saturday night, by the Baker and Farron Company, and there was a good attendance. The piece has not been produced here for some time, but it is one of those that combine, a good deal of song and humour with sensational incidents and as represented on Saturday evening proved quite enjoyable.

SCHOOL OF ARTS.

The attendance at the School of Arts was fair, considering the weather. Several new features were introduced into the programme. Some exquisite groups, the works of famous sculptor, were thrown on to the screen, together with a dramatic illustration of Pygmalion and Galatea. A spiritual *seance* then took place, in which several historical personages appeared, and questions asked of them. Brackenbury, Constable of the Tower, was asked "Did he assist at the murder of the two princes?" The figure of Brackenburg then appeared, and confessed to his share of the crime. The Earl of Essex was next called upon, to state whether he had had any intention of marrying Queen Elizabeth, to which he firmly replied, "Certainly, if I had lived long enough." As the figures slowly vanished, the bride (dead 10 years) of the professional medium is called up, and a handsomely-attired lady appears as out of space. The performance concluded with an amusing sketch entitled, "No. 27; or, the Missing Ghosts," which excited considerable laughter. To-night the same programme will be repeated. On Friday next Professor Pepper receives a benefit, and the last performances in Sydney are announced.

GUILD HALL.

Saturday night was the last night of the Froliques' sixth programme, and the house was again full to witness it. The applause was frequent and hearty, and the audience appeared well satisfied with the night's amusement.

THE PROTESTANT HALL.

On Saturday, owing to the sudden indisposition of Miss Marie Carandini, several changes were necessarily made in the programme. The resources of the clever little company who are now giving such excellent entertainments at the "Home of Song," were however quite sufficient to meet the difficulty. An extra number from each soloist made up the announced quantity. The selection from Maritana was given with evident signs of the care which the Carandini company are known to bestow on the concerted music. The madrigal "Down in a flow'ry vale," was marred by the contralto, who sang out of tune. The same lady hurried the time in her first solo, "So Romeo." The second "Out on the Rocks" was better, but Miss St. Clair must take heed to her low notes, which when forced are harsh. Madame Carandini gave three well known ballads in her own judicious and effective manner, "Charlie, he's my darling," was particularly well received. Mr. Vernon Reid was in good voice, "The Pilgrim of Love" suits him very well, and his share in the duet "Flow gently, Deva," was highly commendable, in this the bass (Mr. Gooch) and tenor harmonized agreeably. Mr. Gooch has profited by his journey home, as regards the culture of his voice, which, when the rust has gone off and the singer is in good practice again, will, we are assured, be very evident; his "Jack's Yarn" was much applauded. Miss Melville played the celebrated "Prayer" from "Mosè" with accurate skill. She is a very conscientious executant, and as an accompanist displays good judgment. Signor Ortori evinced his varieties of style by choosing first a fantastic solo with every eccentricity of bowing and fingering—it is most aptly named "Lunatique-Hongroise," another specimen of Marzorati's dashing *morceaux*. In this Mr. Huenerbein, junior, was an efficient accompanist. The second violin solo was an air with variations from Verdi's "Nabuco," arranged by Alard, and a third followed with which we were unfamiliar. A new programme is announced for to-night, when Miss Marie will doubtless contribute her share of the attractions. The concerts are certainly deserving of hearty support.

BURTON'S CIRCUS.

Notwithstanding the rough weather on Saturday, there was a very large attendance at Burton's Circus, at the Haymarket; and although the show is now entering upon its tenth week in Sydney, the patronage does not seem to diminish, considering the vastness of the marque, which is capable of holding between four and five thousand spectators. A good house means a great number of people. The performance was noted by new faces and new acts. Upon keeping up their changes the management seem determined, as there has been something fresh every week except one during their stay. The present is, perhaps, the best programme that has been submitted, which speaks much for their recources and their repertoire. Mr. W. Jones was received with hearty applause, and his riding elicited frequent applause. The acrobatic comiques, Messrs. Lazelle and Moffitt, were loudly applauded, and recalled at the end of their performance. Eugene Le Brae, the contortionist, also received the compliment of a recall. Johnny Cowan's song, a parody on "My Grandfather's Clock," illustrating the erratic performances of the Town Hall clock, fairly brought down the house, if such a term may be applied to a marquee. The afterpiece was very laughable, and sent the audience home in good spirits.

COOK'S GREAT BILLIARD TOURNAMENT.

Cook's great tournament was continued on Saturday, and four more heats were decided. As this contest draws to a close it excites daily increasing interest, and the Masonic Hall will probably be crowded this evening. The play on Saturday was good, and the match, Cook v. Kilkenny, was an exemplification of thoroughly scientific billiards, and of splendid all-round play. The results of the matches were as follow:—Dean beat James by 85 points; Perkins beat Byrne by 6. Lazar beat Fitzpatrick by 20, and Cook beat Kilkenny by 31. The champion's best breaks were:—71, 36, 29, 55, 99, 65, 62, 34, and 20, and in one instance he made 32 spot strokes, and in another 22. The Yorkshireman's breaks were:—20, 37, 23, 43, 73, and 60. As will be seen by the results below, Dean, Lazar, and Perkins are the competitors left in for the prizes, and at a meeting after the last match a plan was arranged for playing out the tournament early. The three names written on three pieces of paper were thrown with a blank paper into a hat, and a bystander drew two of them. These were the blank piece, and that inscribed with Mr. Perkins' name. Mr. Perkins would thus stand out, while Messrs. Dean and Lazar played. He would then play against the winner, for the first prize, and the loser in this match would play the loser of the first match for second prize. It will thus be seen that though chance gave Mr. Perkins a slight advantage, it does not necessarily follow that he must gain either first or second prize. This arrangement may be carried out, but it cannot be definitely stated that it will, since in consequence of Mr. Lazar's unavoidable absence, the close of the match cannot be decided until to-morrow evening. To-night Cook will play Kilkenny, the latter receiving 250 points out of 1000. The following are the results to date:—First day: Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. Perkins, 275; Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. Kilkenny, 150; Mr. James, 250, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Cook, scratch, beat Mr. Byrne, 250. Second day: Mr. Byrne, 250, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Cook, scratch, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. Dean, 320; Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. Kilkenny, 150. Third day: Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. Lazar, 360; Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. Kilkenny, 150; Mr. Byrne, 250, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Cook, scratch, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320. Fourth Day: Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. Cook, scratch; Mr. Kilkenny, 150, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. Byrne, 250. Fifth Day: Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Kilkenny, 150, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. Byrne, 250; Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. Cook, scratch. Sixth Day: Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. Cook, scratch; Mr. Kilkenny, 150, beat Mr. Byrne, 250. Seventh Day: Mr. Dean, 320, beat Mr. James, 250; Mr. Perkins, 275, beat Mr. Byrne, 250; Mr. Lazar, 360, beat Mr. Fitzpatrick, 320; Mr. Cook, scratch, beat Mr. Kilkenny, 150.

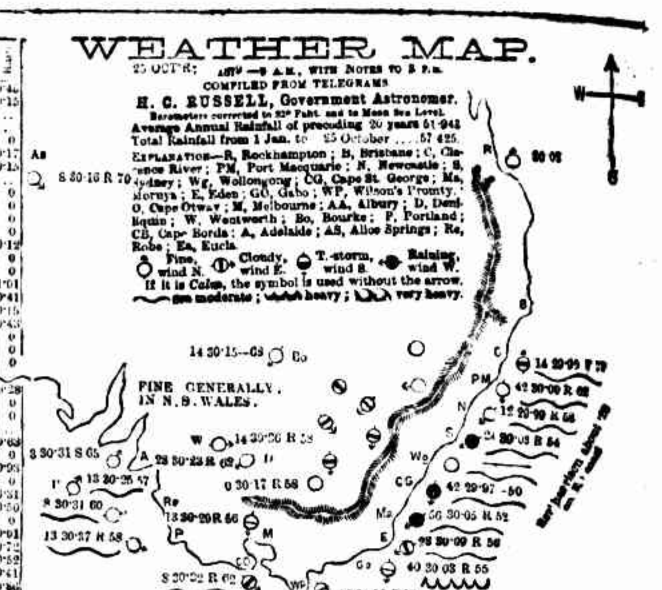
Among the passengers by the San Francisco mail is Mr. Jno. R. Rogers, who brought Mr. J. K. Emmet to this country three years ago. Mr. Rogers now brings Messrs. Hawley and Binsley, the gymnastic sensational balloonists, who do marvellous trapeze performances in midair.

CAPTAIN ONSLOW AT CAMDEN.

Captain Onslow, R.N., M.L.A., addressed a numerously attended meeting of his constituents, at the School of Arts, Camden, on Friday night. Mr. Simpson took the chair, and in the course of a short speech regretted that the threatening state of the weather had prevented the attendance of electors from a distance.

Captain ONSLOW, who was received with applause, said: The chairman has said it is a common practice for members of Parliament to meet their constituents for the purpose of explaining their views or conduct in reference to political matters, and it is quite possible that there may be too much of that; but I have thought it right to invite the electors to this meeting, more particularly since the education question has been so much discussed. If I were to speak only of the legislation which has been passed during the last two sessions I should not have much to say, for although Parliament has sat for ten months in the year, very little has been done; while if I were to speak of all that is expected from Parliament during the next session, I should probably have to detain you much longer than you would like. It may be in the recollection of some of you that when I was last upon the hustings I stated that I thought there would be little if any alteration in the land law. I think that prediction has been verified. I suppose there is hardly any subject on which there exists a necessity for change more than in the sale of our lands; but the conflict of interests is so great as to make the subject a very difficult one to deal with, and I do not think that anything will be done. I am sure we could hardly make any change for the worse. It may be very true that the law was very desirable in 1861, but it does not follow that what was good for the colony in 1861 is good in 1879. When the first settlers came to this country they were a handful of people, and land was of no value. It was given away to the early settlers, who also were allowed provisions for servants and rations to feed them. As the population increased and the soil was cultivated, land became more valuable. You may recollect that a regulation was made providing that if a person would take charge of so many prisoners he would get a grant of land in proportion to the number of servants assigned; that afterwards 5s. was fixed as the price per acre, and that still later 20s. was made the upset price. It was expected that the law of 1861 would greatly increase the population of the country; and there is no doubt that it did for a few years cause population to settle upon the banks of the rivers, and in the Wingecarribee district; but for some years past the law has ceased to answer the expectations of those who framed it. I need only refer to some remarks made by Mr. Garrett and by Sir Henry Parkes to prove conclusively that the law is taken advantage of for different purposes than that which was intended. Mr. Garrett, speaking of Wingecarribee some two or three weeks ago, said:—"It was a fact that during the last few years in New South Wales, two-thirds of the selections were not bona-fide, but taken up in the interests of the Crown lessees. If this pernicious facility to transfer was not the law, Crown lessees would not have been compelled to almost ruin themselves by buying up their runs in order to protect themselves from sham selectors." Sir Henry Parkes said: "The surplus of money which is at the command of the Government simply means that by a most unhappy operation of the laws, as they exist, the land of the country has been sold into private hands, not for the purpose of legitimate settlement, but rather for the purpose of barring all settlement on the lands of the country. (Cheers.) It simply means that the persons largely engaged in pastoral operations, feeling themselves in many respects so harassed and so unprotected, have, at great cost to themselves, borrowed money to buy up land in large tracts, not for the purpose of settling men and women upon it, but for the purpose of preventing the settlement of population upon these lands." The object sought to be attained by many members of Parliament is to give the poor man facilities for taking up land, and a very praiseworthy object it is, but it is one which is very difficult to accomplish. It is hard to say who is a poor man; and if you make a law to give facilities to one class of the population, you cannot prevent the rest of the people from taking advantage of it. The effect of this legislation for the benefit of the poor man has been to enable the wealthy to secure land in large quantities, and to call into existence a class of people who take up land not to settle upon it, but simply to sell it. In this way the lands of the country are being alienated for less than their value, and are being bought up again by wealthy capitalists. This is a most undesirable state of things; and I think it is very much to be regretted that there should be called into existence a class of persons who make a trade of taking up land—men who are the loafers and wanderers of the country. Residents in the towns, artisans, mechanics, traders, and professional men have no chance of obtaining land on these favourable conditions, because the residence clause shuts them out. The men who take up land merely to sell it often inflict great wrong upon the pastoral tenants, and they not unfrequently take up land solely with the expectation of being bought off. I think the fairest way to promote settlement is to sell land at its full value. I have, however, no hope of seeing any change in the law, because there is an idea that the State ought to put the man who has no money in the same position of advantage as the man who has money; but that cannot be done. I think it would be a good thing if we could stop the sale of land altogether, and substitute for it long leases, with a clear understanding that all improvements should revert to the Crown upon the expiration of the lease. Or, if we are to have free selection, it is better that the land should be classified, and that free selection should be restricted to agricultural areas. I do not expect that there will be any change in the land laws until after a general election. Another subject which occupied much of the attention of Parliament last session was that of privilege. In consequence of what had taken place in the House, a resolution was passed affirming that a bill should be brought in to define the privileges of Parliament. Mr. Farnell's Government brought in a bill, but it was so amended as to claim for the Parliament of this colony the same privileges as are possessed by the House of Commons. The Legislative Council objected to that, and, I think, very properly. Privilege is an invidious thing. Parliament requires the power to preserve order within its walls, but I think it is very undesirable that any privilege should be given to members of Parliament outside those walls—any privilege which is not possessed by other persons in the community. The law courts are open to all; and the only privilege we require is the privilege of speaking our minds within the walls of Parliament; and anyone who attempted to obstruct or interfere with the freedom of debate in Parliament ought to be punished. The Council restricted the operation of the bill to the Parliamentary buildings and enclosures, and I think that was a proper limitation to make. I have here the "History of the English House of Commons," and, if I were to quote from it, you would be astonished to know what tyrannous acts were done under the authority of privilege. It may be said that a Parliament, which exists only for three years is not likely to pursue any course which would be obnoxious to a majority of the electors; but if we were to abolish the Council, we might repeal the Triennial Parliaments Bill, and elect to sit for seven years, as was done in England when the Hanoverian dynasty came in. It is extremely probable that a bill will be introduced next session to alter the representation, and I am afraid that the effect of it will be to increase the number of members to one hundred. An attempt will also be made to equalise the electoral districts. At present, as you are aware, Narellan, the Paterson, and Windsor each return one member, and Parramatta two members, while the Bogan, Liverpool Plains, the Lachlan, and other constituencies having a population six or seven times larger, are only entitled to elect one member. I hope a great change will be made in our representation. I want to see large electorates, and that no electorate shall return less than three or four members. There are always two sides to every question; and in the case of electorates which return only one member, only one side of the question can be represented. If the colony were divided into ten electorates, and each electorate were to return ten members, that would give to every considerable section of the community the opportunity of being fairly represented—would secure an Assembly which would not simply represent the majority, but all sections; an Assembly which would reflect the opinions of the people as perfectly as a good map of the colony represents the physical configuration of the country. A return which I moved for shows the defectiveness of our present system, and brings out the fact that the members of the existing Assembly have been returned by the votes of only about one-fourth of the electors. As a general rule, not more than one-half the number of electors on the roll take the trouble to vote. Many members are elected by a small majority, and in several instances the sitting member has been returned in effect by those who voted against him. This could not take place where there are only two candidates, but a case of this kind might occur. Suppose there are 500 voters in a particular constituency, that 101 of them vote for one candidate and ninety-eight or ninety-nine vote for each of the other candidates. The candidate for whom the 101 votes are polled is elected, although as a matter of fact there are 399 votes recorded against him. I will quote a few examples of the actual working of our system. In 1869-70 the member for the Hastings was elected by 474 votes, while 1018 votes were given for the unsuccessful candidates. In the election for the Hunter 319 votes were given for the sitting member and 325 votes for the other candidates. In the election for Northumberland 760 votes were polled for the sitting member and 979 against him. For the representation of the Western Gold-fields there were six or seven candidates, each of whom polled pretty well about the same number of votes, the member elected having a majority of one or two over the others, and he was elected, although there were five times more votes against him than there were for him. At the elections for 1872-3, there were nine instances in which there were more votes given against the sitting member than for him. With a system of large electorates, each returning several members, I do not think this would be likely to occur. Whatever the subject which agitates a constituency—free trade or protection, Denominational or National education—our plan of voting for single members really deprives the minority of any voice in legislation. Our system is a copy of that which was established in England four or five hundred years ago, when there was so little travel that one district might be said to be isolated from all the rest. But in these days of railways and electric telegraphs, when there is every facility for travelling and for communication, I cannot understand why a man at Tenterfield should not be able to vote for the same candidate as a man at Albury. On the occasion of one election here, there were three candidates, and he remembered that one of the voters was dissatisfied with each of them, and said that he could not vote for any. It may often be the case under our system of small electorates the candidates will be men all of whom are distasteful to many of the electors, who are, therefore, practically disfranchised. In advocating large constituencies I am only telling you what I think might be done, and I for one should be glad to get rid of a system which appears to me to be so undesirable. I object to it because it leaves large numbers unrepresented; and because it leads the constituencies to prefer men whom they think will be most successful in procuring for them roads and bridges without regard to other considerations. For this purpose I have heard it contended that Camden ought to be separated from Berrima; but I object to this plan of intense localism, as incompatible with true love of country. We ought to have regard to the interests of colony as a whole, and not to subordinate these interests to the local wants of some small section. The next question about which I wish to speak is education. I had great hope that the question of education might be allowed to rest. The Act of 1866, whatever its defects, was a fair compromise, and has given satisfaction to a large portion of the community. Unfortunately, however, the Roman Catholic Archbishop has issued a series of Pastorals, condemning the present Public school system. As was to have been expected those Pastorals have caused great sensation and numerous replies have been made to them chiefly by ministers of religion, in some of which uncharitable language has been used. I have no particular partiality for the Public school system, or for the Denominational system. I would support any school that was doing good service; and I am free to confess that if there were no schools established in the country I should be inclined to support the system of payment by results. I am aware that there are strong objections to that system, and every system has its objections as well as advantages. But we are not beginning with education. Schools have been established all over the country, and for the last thirteen years we have had a system which has found great favour, which is doing good service, and is capable of doing much more. I, therefore, strongly object to any radical change in the system. Many of you have planted a garden, or built a house, and you may have regretted that you did not plant an apple tree instead of a plum, or that you did not make this room larger, or the other somewhat different, but none of you ever think of grubbing up your trees, or pulling down your houses on that account, and so I think it would be equally absurd to change our school system. Those who oppose the pastorals have raised the cry that all the Denominational schools should be closed; but I object to doing that for two reasons. First I say the Act of 1866 is a compromise, and representative government is nothing more than a system of give and take. But we are a mixed community of Protestants and Catholics. The Roman Catholics are strongly in favour of having their own schools, and, whatever my own views, I certainly think that you must pay some attention to their wishes. For the sake of peace and good will I would yield something; but there is another and a stronger reason against closing Denominational schools, and that is on the score of expense. To close all the Denominational schools, buy sites, and build Public schools in their place would cost nearly one million of money. If four more Denominational schools were closed there would then remain only half the number which existed in 1866. All the smaller and weaker schools have been closed, as it was very desirable they should be; but those which remain are large and well conducted, and any stranger entering them excepting during the hour for religious instruction, would not know them from Public schools. To close these schools would cause much ill-feeling among a large section of the community, and I cannot see any advantage to be gained from closing them. I think the action of Archbishop Vaughan in raising this question was very unwise; but I do not agree with many of the observations which have fallen from ministers of religion with regard to Roman Catholics. I have no wish that any word of mine should give offence to any one here. I believe I owe my position as one of the members for this county to a large extent to the votes of Roman Catholics; and it will therefore be readily understood that even if I were influenced by no higher consideration, I would not willingly give them pain or cause of offence. They are men of like feelings with ourselves, and I have felt ashamed at some of the strictures which have been passed upon them—strictures which almost suggested that the chastity of their wives and daughters was not as dear to them as any of us. But I look upon the Roman Catholic clergy as something more than a merely religious body, as in a great measure political. They are formidable to the State, not only because of their numbers, but of their discipline and unity of action. Their organization is admirable, and they exercise a greater influence over their flocks than that of the clergy of any other Denomination. Their unity extends the world over, and a priest can perform his functions as well in China as in New South Wales. This question of education is agitated not only in New South Wales and Victoria, but in Canada, France, Germany, and, in fact, the world over. The Roman Catholic body are governed by a person who is a foreigner to us, and their priesthood is very like a disciplined army. I admit that in nine cases out of ten the clergy of the Roman Catholic Church use their great power and influence for the advantage of their flocks, but contingencies may arise in which that power may be dangerous to the State. Roman Catholics cannot expect us as Protestants in all matters to think with them. From a religious point of view they are perfectly sincere, and devoted to their duties, but they look upon only one thing, and that is the advancement of their Church. Although the Public school may be beneficial to 99 Protestants out of 100, it they thought them injurious to one Roman Catholic they would condemn them. They have taken it into their heads that the Public schools are injurious to their Church. They have not proved it to my satisfaction, but they have taken a position of determined hostility to Public schools in this and the other colonies. I do not think that the Public schools are Godless, or that they are injurious to any child. As far as religion can be understood, there can be no difficulty in the way of teaching it. What do you mean by religious education? I believe there are a great many who do not know the difference between Roman Catholics and Protestants. [A voice: "There are some who do.] No doubt there are. Man is a fighting animal, and will fight about something; but I think it is a matter for great regret that religion should be the subject of contention, because we know least about it in some of its aspects, and because such contentions engender much bitterness of feeling. In my view of the matter, religion consists broadly of two things, our duty towards God and our duty towards our neighbour. It is necessary in the interest of the State that we should inculcate upon every one the importance of doing his duty to his neighbour, and the man, woman, or child who does his duty to his neighbour will, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, do it towards God. Any honest, upright man could teach children their duty to their neighbour, could train them in habits of obedience, reverence, and truthfulness. As regards a man's duty towards God, there is perhaps more difficulty, but those who are Christians must accept dogmas which they cannot explain—the Incarnation, the Resurrection, the Trinity,—but these can no more be understood by a child than by an adult, and the conclusion at which I arrive is that any honest, conscientious, God-fearing man can teach a child all the religion which children can receive. Religion, to my mind, is not so much a question of creed as of deed; and I would rather have a Chinaman, a Mahomedan, or a Turk for a neighbour, who was kind to his wife and children, and just in his dealings with his neighbours, than I would have a Christian who could repeat every word of the Bible, but who, at the same time, would not scruple to cheat his neighbour or thrash his wife. Scotchmen pride themselves upon the excellence of their schools, but he would read a quotation from Hugh Miller's "Schools and Schoolmasters," to show how the influence of religious teaching in schools might be overrated. You know the history of Hugh Miller, who, from being a stonemason, raised himself by his own efforts to the position of one of the leading geologists, and he wrote several works admirable for the beauty of their diction, as well as for their piety and discernment. This is what he wrote:—"I now hear a good deal said about the excellent religious influence of our parochial seminaries. I never knew anyone who owed more than the merest smattering of theological knowledge to these institutions, and not a single individual who had ever derived from them any tincture, even the slightest, of religious feeling. So far as I can remember, I carried in my memory from school only a single remark at all theological in its character, and it was of a kind suited to the rather harm than good. In reading in the class one Saturday morning, a portion of the 119th Psalm, I was told by the master, that that ethical poem was a sort of alphabetical acrostic." (Laughter.) This is what an eminent writer has said of the method of teaching children by rote:—"A practice to be avoided is that of making children learn by rote what they do not understand. It is often done on this plea, that they will hereafter learn the meaning of what they have been thus taught, and will be able to make a practical use of it, but no attempt at economy of time can be more injurious. All that is learned by rote by a child before he is competent to attach a meaning to the words he utters would not, if all put together, amount to so much as would cost him, when able to understand it, a week's labour to learn perfectly. Whereas, it may cost the toil, often the vain toil, of many years to unlearn the habit of formalism of repeating words by rote without attending to their meaning, a habit which everyone conversant with education knows to be, in all subjects, most readily acquired by children, and with difficulty avoided, even with the utmost care of the teacher, but which such a plan must inevitably tend to generate. It is often said, and very truly, that it is important to form early habits of piety, but to train a child in one habit is not the most likely way of forming the opposite one, and nothing can be more contrary to true piety, than the superstition for such in fact it is of attaching efficacy to the repetition of a certain form of words as a charm independent of the understanding and the heart. The readiness with which children learn and remember words is, no doubt, a most important advantage if rightly employed, viz., if applied to the acquiring that mass of what may be called arbitrary knowledge of insulated fact, which can only be learned by rote, and which is necessary in after life; when the acquisition of it would both be more troublesome, and would encroach on time that might otherwise be better employed. Dates, names of countries, weights and measures, and indeed all the words of any language are of this description. If a child had even in his time the ordinary degree of the faculty in question, a judicious teacher would find abundance of useful employment for it without resorting to any that could possibly be detrimental to his future habits—moral, religious, or intellectual." In 1861 I arrived in England from the colony, and the question of popular education was then being discussed. In the Church of England schools it was the practice to teach the catechism by rote, and I will read one short extract from the report of a school inspector, published in the *Edinburgh Review* for 1861, which will show the way in which children too often learned to gabble off

Stations	W'th'r	Max	Min	Rain
Tenterf'ld	b	75	61	0·46
Grafton..	c	89	51	0·15
Inverell..	..	..	..	..
Walgett..	..	..	..	..
Bourke ..	b	81	52	0
Narrabri..	b	81	54	0·17
Armidale .	u	79	50	0·15
Gunnedah	..	..	..	..
Coonab'an	b	85	45	0
P. Macqrie	u	76	61	0
Murr'undi	b	77	51	0
Cassilis ..	b	83	..	0
Mus'brook	b	95	59	0·12
Dubbo...	b	72	52	0
Mudgee ..	b	77	49	0
Maitland .	c	92	..	1·01
Newcastle	b	93	55	0·41
Orange ..	u	72	34	0·15
Bathurst..	u	70	43	0·43
Mt Victoria	u	73	40	0
Forbes...	b	82	41	0
Bendemeer	b	78	51	0
Sydney	d	79	54	0·28
Wentw'th	b	71	43	0
Young...	c	70	49	0
Woll'gong	..	..	..	..
Moss Vale	r	70	45	0·63
Euston..	b	69	45	0
Goulburn.	p	72	41	0·93
Wagga ..	b	89	40	0
Cape Geo.	p	64	..	0·31
Queanb'an	c	72	45	0·50
Deniliquin	b	67	44	0
Albury...	b	73	39	0·01
Bodalla ..	p	61	47	0·72
Cooma...	c	62	38	0·52
Eden....	u	60	51	0·41
Gabo Isld.	u	57	51	0·86



words from memory without any idea of their meaning:—"My duty torde God is to bleed in him, to fering and to loaf, withold your arts, withold my mine, withold my sold, and with my sernth, to whirchp and to give thinks, to put my old trastin him, to call upon him to onner his old name and his world, and to save him truly all the days of my life's end.

"My dooty tords my nabers, to love him as thyself, and to do to all men as I wed thou shall do and to me, to love, onner, and suke my farther and mother, to onner and to bay the Queen, and all that are pet in a forty under her, to suit myself to all my gooness, teaches, sportial pastures and marsters, to oughten myself lordly and every to all my batters, to hut no body by would nor deed, to be trew in jest in all my deeling, to bear no malis nor ated in your arts, to keep my ands from pecken and steel, my turn from evil speaking, lawing and slanders, not to civit nor desar othermans good, but to lern laber trewly to git my own leaving, and to do my dooty in that state of life and to each it is please God to call men."

In fact in many of the schools you might as well have taught Abracadabra or anything else in place of the cathecism, and the children would have been none the better or worse. An inspector of another school gives a practical illustration of really Christian teaching. A boy, whose father was a waterman, was asked to what state of life he expected to be called, and he said "a waterman." Then he was asked what his duty would be, and the reply was, "Never to carry more passengers in my boat than I am licensed to carry." What else? "Not to charge more than my fare." What else? "To see that I land my passengers dry." (Hear, hear.) That I call essentially Christian teaching. Those of you who have read history, which, unfortunately, is excluded from the Public schools and the University, will know what lamentable consequences have followed from religious wars, arising out of small theological differences, and it was enough to recall the exclamation

"Strange there should be
Such a difference between Tweedledum and Tweedledee."

I should be sorry to cast ridicule upon ministers of religion, but I think it is a matter for regret that they do not join heartily together to combat the real evils of life instead of quarrelling with each other about dogmas of only theoretical importance. While on the subject of education, I may refer to the vote of £1500, placed on the Estimates at the instance of Mr. Windeyer, to enable a small number of clever children to be drafted from the Primary schools to the Grammar school, and from that school to the University. This sounds very liberal, but I fear it will do more harm than good. I would have divided against it if any one would have joined with me. As a rule I think that forward and clever boys will be that and nothing more. Precocious children were like the wattle trees which came quickly to maturity, while those who had real genius or ability were like the ironbark which was slow in coming to maturity, but had more solid and lasting qualities. He feared that the selection of half a dozen children in the way proposed would excite exaggerated expectations on the part of parents, and would be mischievous to the boys themselves. The doctors would tell you that there were many young girls whose health had been permanently injured by excessive application to study. I have always been an advocate for competitive examinations for candidates for the Civil Service, because I think that that system would exclude incapables, prevent unnecessary appointments, and be a safeguard against corrupt patronage. But I do not want an examination in algebra and Greek roots. I think that the competition might be restricted to some simple subject—writing, from dictation for instance, which would supply a sufficient test for accuracy, legibility, quickness, spelling, and so forth. That would give a poor man's child as good a chance as the rich, and would secure as good Civil servants as those we now obtained. Another thing which I desire to see is, that history shall be taught in Public schools and the University. It is very desirable that the names of the men who have made the United Kingdom illustrious should be more to our children than the names of the aborigines, and the difficulty which exists of compiling a history which would be acceptable to Roman Catholics as well as Protestants is not insurmountable, because it is the facts of history, not the inferences to be drawn from them, which need be taught. Captain Onslow proceeded to discuss the question of an amendment of the marriage law, with a view to prevent clandestine marriages, or the marriage of minors without the consent of their parents. He instanced some case of great hardship and wrong, and the remedy which he desired to see applied was that all marriages should, in the first instance, take place before the Registrar, a Government officer, against whom responsibility could be enforced, leaving the religious ceremony to be performed by the clergyman afterwards as in France, Italy, and Germany. Referring to the recent Trades Congress, Captain Onslow went on to say:—One thing they advocated was that Parliament should pass a law declaring that eight hours should be a legitimate day's labour. ("Good.") It may be very good. (Cheers.) But would not two hours be better? ("No.") If Parliament can pass a law that eight hours are a fair day's labour it can pass a law that ten hours or twenty-four hours are the proper standard. Parliament cannot, however, compel the employer to give ten hours' wages for eight hours' work. I will not express an opinion as regards the disturbance at Newcastle, further than to say that as far as I can judge the Government are deserving of great credit in sending up the military to preserve law and order. It seems to me a monstrous thing that a man who is willing to work should be deterred from doing so. If that could be successfully done, this would no longer be a free country; and the greatest sufferers would be the labouring classes. As to free trade and protection, it was represented to me the other day, that it was very hard that Victoria should be allowed to send potatoes and butter into our colony free of duty to compete with our farmers, but when I asked if they were willing to have a tax placed upon their ploughs and shovels, those who claimed protection in one direction, demanded free trade in another. It is very unlikely that the working men of Sydney will consent to have their food taxed for the benefit of anybody. The less restriction we have upon trade the better, and it would be about as reasonable to prohibit the produce of Campbelltown from coming to Camden, or of Picton from going to Goulburn, as to seek to protect one colony against another. America has been cited as an illustration of the success of protection; but the United States have an enormous territory, including every climate, and they can produce everything which they require. As to the Exhibition he did his best to prevent it. It was brought about by a few busy bodies, whose action was completed by our late Governor, apparently under the belief that the Exhibition would only cost £12,000. As a matter of fact, it would cost £300,000, and I do not think that the receipts will be sufficient to pay the expense of keeping the building open. If we had waited for ten years, until our railways were completed, it might have been a good thing; and the money might then have been expended in the erection of a building, which would have been serviceable as a free public library, or an art gallery. As it was, the whole thing was a blunder from the beginning, and the building which has been put up, is of the most inflammable material, and it is probably destined to be burnt down, more especially if the Exhibition were to be opened at night. The hon. member then proceeded to speak of some matters of local interest, as, for example, the erection of the Post-office, and the substitution of a metalled road for the corduroy road which had been in use. He said that he would be always willing to do his best to further the local interest of the district, for he did not anticipate that he would be called upon to make any claims upon the public purse for local improvements to which the district was not fully entitled.

In reply to a question as to the opening of the Exhibition on Sundays, Captain ONSLOW said that he entertained no objections on the ground of religion to the Exhibition being opened on Sunday afternoon. He would rather see the people going to the Exhibition than to the public-house. The question, however, was one for the Commissioners and the exhibitors to determine. The latter had valuable property at stake, and the convenience of the attendants ought also to be considered.

After some remarks from Mr. THOMAS, of Wivenhoe, and Dr. GOODE, in reference to local requirements, the proceedings were closed with a vote of thanks to the Chairman.

PETROLEUM.—The quantity of petroleum exported from the United States, which had risen from 800,248 tons in 1875 to 853,444 tons in 1876, and to 1,182,827 tons in 1877, fell to 1,113,354 tons last year. This decrease is partly due to the general depression of trade and partly to the fact of the petroleum wells in Canada being more largely worked, while deposits in India, Russia, and other parts of the world have also been opened out. A gallon of the oil can be bought at Oil City, Pennsylvania, for 1d., the price in New York being increased, by the cost of purification and carriage, to a fraction over 2d. a gallon.

THE ILLAWARRA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

The half-yearly meeting of this Company took place on Thursday, Mr. W. Friend presiding, when the following report was read and adopted:—

The directors beg to lay before the proprietors a statement of the affairs of the company, for the past half-year.

The net profit (after deducting the amount for insurance fund and depreciation) amounts to	£2,651 17 6
To this is added—balance carried from last half-year ...	348 15 5
Leaving available the sum of ...	£3,000 13 11
Wherewith it is proposed to pay a dividend of 5s per share, amounting to ...	£2,771 5 0
And to carry forward the balance of ...	229 8 11
	£3,000 13 11

The late wet weather has somewhat interfered with our trade, but on the whole the returns have been about the average amount for the winter half-year.

In May last the s.s. Monaro was wrecked, resulting in a charge of £11,852 17s. 9d. upon the insurance fund, which now stands at £10,141 14s. 11d.

The steamers have had the usual half-yearly overhaul, and are in good order.

The dividend will be payable to-morrow.

ABSTRACT OF BALANCE SHEET, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1879.

Dr.

Liabilities.

Shares ...		£33,425 0 0
Insurance Fund ...	£21,994 12 8	
Less s.s. Monaro ...	11,852 17 9	
		10,141 14 11
Executors of W. Moffitt ...		3,407 11 3
Sundry creditors ...		2,542 17 1
Balance to profit and loss ...		2,998 15 11
		£75,213 10 1

Cr.

Assets.

Ship Property ...	£43,806 0 0
Freehold ...	15,099 12 8
Leasehold property ...	1,588 1 0
Cash on deposit ...	6,017 15 0
Outstanding freights ...	2,886 1 1
Stores ...	2,037 7 1
Coal ...	150 0 0
Sundry debtors ...	800 7 0
Commercial Bank ...	603 4 0
Cash and orders ...	75 11 1
Insurance (policies unexpired) ...	880 15 0
	£75,213 10 1

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Dr.

1879—September 30.	
To dividend, adopted last report ...	£2771 5 0
Balance ...	2998 15 11
	£5769 0 11

Cr.

1879—September 30.	
By balance from March 31 ...	£3116 5 5
Profit this half-year ...	2651 17 6
	£5769 0 11

The meeting terminated with the usual vote of thanks.

COMMERCIAL.

HORSE MARKET.

GEORGE KISS reports the market without change the past week, with very few good animals coming to hand. At the Bazaar some useful horses changed hands. Well-bred horses required and sell at remunerative prices. Very few fresh country lots arriving, and good harness horses wanted.—October 23.

T. COSGROVE AND CO.—Market better supplied the past week, especially with country horses, of which there has been some good lots offered, a few of which remained unsold, as the prices offered did not come within selling range of the reserves. We disposed of the following, at the Bazaar, for Mr. G. Welsh:—Light harness mare, £8 5s—T. Lomax, purchaser; harness mare, £15—H. Dean; harness horse, £18—J. Sloane; buggy horse, £28—Dr. Brereton; blood filly, by Trump Card, £22 10s—H. Kinsington; bay horse, £16—P. Coyle; draught horse, £45—J. M'Nulty; harness mare, £10—E. J. Edrop; buggy horse, £20 10s—W. A. Johnston; harness horses, £83—E. D. Mathews; harness mare, £15—M. Beehen; dray horse, £11 5s—W. Jones; harness mare, £10 10s; besides a number of light horses, at prices ranging from £1 to £5.—October 23.

MELBOURNE LIVE STOCK MARKET.

[RICHARD GIBSON AND CO.]

MELBOURNE, Oct. 22.

Fat Cattle.—The market was supplied with about 1500 head, the larger proportion of which were good to prime quality. The attendance of the trade was only moderate, and, owing to the unfavourable state of the weather, the demand was exceedingly inactive, and prices ruled about 20s per head under last week's rates. Prime bullocks sold at from £10 to £11; good ditto, from £8 to £9; second ditto, from £6 to £7; inferior, from £5; best cows from £6 to £7 10s; good ditto, from £5 5s to £5 10s; middling and inferior from £3 upwards. We sold—257 bullocks for Mr. W. Sly, Ardoch station, up to £9 15s, averaging £7 4s; 20 bullocks for Mr. C. A. M'Kenzie, Worrough, to £9, averaging £7 15s 6d; 6 cows for Mr. J. Kerr, jun., Mooney Ponds; 5 cows for Mr. J. Kerr, Glenroy.

Fat Calves.—100 yarded, the quality being much better than of late, but no improvement took place in values. Best in made up to 47s 6d; inferior, from 15s. We sold 6 for Messrs. Ritchie, Brothers, Gowrie Park.

Fat Sheep.—15,739 forward this week, consisting chiefly of Riverina flocks, about half of which were shorn, the bulk of the supply being good to prime quality. Sales were rather dull, and prices were a shade easier than last week. The graziers assisted materially in clearing the market. We quote—best shorthorn merino wethers, 8s 6d to 9s 6d; seconds, 7s 6d to 8s; others, 5s up; best shorn merino ewes, 6s to 7s; others, 4s up; woolled merino wethers, up to 12s 6d; ditto ewes to 10s; woolled crossbred wethers, to 13s; shorn ditto ditto, to 10s; ewes in usual proportion. We sold—3850 wethers from Alma station; 90 ewes and wethers for Mr. H. A. W. Luelf, Terricks East; 31 wethers for Messrs. Ritchie, Brothers, Gowrie Park; 17 ewes for Mr. R. Bishop, Pine Grove. Prices ranging up to 9s for merino wethers, to 7s for ewes.

Fat Lambs.—A full supply to hand—viz., 4020—chiefly medium to good, with very few really prime lots amongst them. Sales were not quite so brisk as last week, and prices slightly lower. We quote—Best, 7s 6d to 8s (extra to 9s); seconds, 6s to 7s; others, 4s 6d up. We sold 213 for Mr. M. Loeman, Glenloman; 121 for Messrs. Ritchie, Brothers, Gowrie Park; 76 for Mr. W. Bishop, Terricks East; 34 for Messrs. T. and J. Pickles, Brothers, Franklyn Farm; 24 for Mr. H. A. W. Luelf, Terricks East; 21 for Mr. R. Bishop, Pine Grove. Prices ranging up to 9s.

Store Stock.—We have sold 400 crossbred ewes, with lambs at foot, on account of Messrs. Campbell, Brothers, Riddell's Creek; and small drafts of store cattle for Mr. B. M'Sweeney and Mr. J. Reardon.

BOROUGH COUNCIL.

REDFERN.—The usual fortnightly meeting of this Council was held in the Chambers, Pitt-street, on Friday, 10th instant. Present,—The Mayor, with Aldermen M'Lachlan, Young, O'Connell, Farr, Williamson, Hudson, and Andrew. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. The chairman of the Finance Committee brought up a report, recommending payment of accounts amounting to £331 13s., which was adopted, and payment authorised. A report of the Improvement Committee, dated 3rd instant, was submitted, and adopted. Correspondence: Letter from Joseph Field, in reference to lane at the rear of his premises. Received. From James Keogh, requesting the Council to kerb and gutter opposite his premises at junction of Abercrombie and Vine streets. Referred to the Improvement Committee for consideration and report. From H. Button requesting the Council to construct kerbing opposite the entrance to his premises in Botany-street, to admit of his placing a bridge over the street gutter; referred to the Improvement Committee. From William Williamson, asking permission to place a flagstone over the street gutter, opposite his premises in Regent-street South; permission granted. From hon. secretary of the Engine Drivers and Firemen's Society, applying for the use of the ante room of large hall, for holding the society's monthly meetings on first Monday in each month. Moved by Aldermen Williamson and Farr,—"That the use of the room be granted at a charge of 4s. per night, with the understanding that in the event of the hall being engaged on the first Monday of any month, the society must change their night." Carried. From the Municipal Council of Waterloo, complaining of the drainage from this borough into Cooper-street, and requesting that action be taken to remedy the grievance; referred to the Improvement Committee for consideration and report. From Messrs. Hudson, Brothers, asking permission to place a bridge across the street gutter on the west side of Regent-street South, at the intersection of lane leading to what is called Golden Grove. Granted. Alderman O'Connell moved,—"That Walker-street, from Cooper to James streets, be kerbed and guttered, at a cost not to exceed 9s. 6d. per yard." Seconded by Alderman Young, and carried. Alderman Williamson moved,—"That 150 tons blue metal be laid upon Eveleigh-street, from Wells-street to its southern boundary, at a cost not to exceed 12s. per ton." Seconded by Alderman Andrew, and carried. Alderman Williamson moved,—"That Redfern-street West be guttered on both sides from Regent-street South to Rosehill-street, at a cost not exceeding 6s. 6d. per yard." Seconded by Alderman Andrew, and carried. A petition to his Excellency the Governor and Executive Council was read and adopted, on the motion of Alderman Hudson, Aldermen Williamson and Farr dissenting. Moved by Alderman Williamson,—"That a committee, to consist of the Mayor, Aldermen Young, O'Connell, and the mover, be appointed to draw up a code of by-laws for the management of the toll-bar resolved to be erected at the south end of Elizabeth-street." Seconded by Alderman M'Lachlan, and carried. The report of the librarian for the past month was read, and received on the motion of Aldermen Williamson and M'Lachlan. The inspector's report was also submitted and taken as read.—W. S. WARDMAN, Council-clerk.

CONTINENTAL NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT "STELLA.")

PARIS, AUGUST 2?.

The accounts which reach us of the doings of the Royal wooer at Arcachon afford a pleasing element of gossip to the gossip-loving people of this city, always fond of getting hold of any new topic of general interest, and specially delighted if it concerns any Royal or otherwise distinguished personalities. The young King of Spain arrived at the favourite south-western sea-bathing place, with his arm in a sling, that member dislocated in the upsetting of the Royal carriage after the melancholy visit of the young sovereign to the remains of his recently deceased sister, the Princess Maria del Pilar, being not yet restored to its normal condition. The Queen-elect of Spain, as remarked in a former letter, is not a beauty, but she has a particularly bright, animated, and pleasing countenance, a graceful and elegant figure, much accomplishment, and is lively, and very agreeable. Altogether, those who are about her describe her as a very charming young woman, one whom any man may easily fall in love with; and one who may very well console the young widower for the loss of his first love. The King has committed various effractions of courtly etiquette that would seem to indicate his being really in love with the young Archduchess. He has been to see her at an uncourtly hour, before breakfast in fact; has taken her out for a row in a little boat, without attendants, on the placid bosom of the land-locked Bay of Arcachon, a sort of fairy lake, hemmed in by hilly ground on all sides, safe from anything more boisterous than a gentle zephyr, charged with marine emanations, and redolent of the pine-woods of the region, extremely pleasant, lovely, sheltered, perfumed, pretty:—altogether a semi-ideal sort of place, which is declared by its votaries to spoil one for all other bathing places, and to be the only sea station worth going to. The region round abounds in charming sites for excursions, but the place itself is so agreeable—a collection of elegant villas and picturesque chalets, dotted down in the midst of a forest of pines, all round the sheltered bay, with its beds of white sand and its transparent waters—that the enthusiasts who go there every summer, with a feeling of contemptuous pity for those who go elsewhere seem to content themselves mainly with bathing twice a day in the gentle wavelets of the Archachon tide, and with lying on the ground or sitting on rustic seats under the fragrant pines, listening to the low whisper of the spiky foliage, which grows almost musical when the wind rises. It is in this marine paradise, close on the borders of his own kingdom, that Alfonso XII. has been courting his Austrian bride, in uncourtly sans cérémonie style, driving out with her and taking her out in the bay at all hours of the day. The demand for the hand of the royal and imperial canoness is to be formally made to the head of her house, the Emperor Francis Joseph, in the course of a few days.

Spain seems, according to recent travellers, to be slowly (but very slowly) "waking up" to the idea of progress. The riches of the country are immense, but the prevailing lack of roads and means of transport and communication render them practically almost nil. The vine has hitherto escaped the diseases which are devastating the French vineyards, and are now threatening similar ruin to the vineyards of Switzerland, which has adopted the French system of vine culture, with similar results—cutting down the stem, lopping off boughs, cutting away the leaves, and stimulating the plant to the production of a great quantity of fruit. In Spain, as in Italy, where the vinedressers have hitherto been content to leave the vines to grow as nature intended, the vines are as healthy and flourishing as ever, and the yield of wine is so large that Spain—if the country could be stimulated to greater activity and provided with improved means of transit—might almost supply the rest of Europe with excellent wine. The richness and variety of the mines and quarries of Spain are too well-known to need notice here. As for its animals, recent official statistics show that she possesses only 700,000 horses, 2,500,000 asses or mules, 3,000,000 cattle, 23,000,000 sheep, 4,500,000 goats, and 1,500,000 pigs, so that, if compared with other countries, stands, in the matter of cattle, lowest but one in the scale of European countries. In Norway, for instance, with its inhospitable climate, a long and rigorous winter, there are 1059 head per kilometer (⅝ths of a mile), while the vast and rich peninsula alluded to contains but 255 animals to the same superficial area.

The Empress Eugenie is said to be about to make a stay with her mother, in Spain. It was rumoured that she intended retiring, for the rest of her life, to a famous nunnery at Bourgos; but this rumour appears to be unfounded, as she is now said to be in treaty for the purchase of the estate of Wasserburg, in Upper Ayria, with its magnificent castle, the façade alone of which is said to contain upwards of a hundred windows. What she could do with so vast a residence it is not easy to divine; for her career, as an element of power and influence in the political party which has apparently lost its head, would seem to be necessarily at an end.

Bonapartist circles are deeply interested, just now, by the production of a work by M. Eugene Loudon, entitled "His Highness the Prince Imperial." It consists of accounts of conversations with the late Prince, extracts from his letters and notes, and anecdotes giving an insight into his character and opinions. In a conversation which he had with the author in May, 1878, he remarked:—"I should like to establish institutions which would insure the life of the State and of society. There must be neither Parliamentary government (which has been tried long enough) nor absolute power, because, though a Sovereign may be a genius his son may be a fool." The Prince, it seems, had drawn up the plan of a constitution which was to guarantee the stability of the State, but he would not let it be published, as it might have been misinterpreted. It allowed the most complete freedom of discussion; and was designed, by securing all that constitutes freedom and forms the basis of prosperity, to do away with all temptations to violent revolutionary upheavings. Whether the Prince's panacea would have secured so valuable an end must remain uncertain, as his plans are hardly likely to be adopted by his successor to the post of "Heir of the Napoleons." That other living proof of the instability of earthly grandeur, the Empress Charlotte is reported of as being in decidedly better health since her removal to her new abode, the Chateau de Bouchant. At her former residence, the Chateau de Tervueren, it was necessary to surround her with constant and strict supervision, which though softened as much as possible in appearance, she evidently perceived and suffered from. Her present residence allows of her having a much greater degree of freedom; thus at Tevoueren, there was but one walk—a long avenue of trees—in which she could be allowed to wander at pleasure. At Bouchant, on the contrary, she has the whole of the beautiful gardens and park at her disposal; and she can roam about them wherever she pleases, without feeling the restraint of being watched. The gardens are particularly well laid out, and very beautiful; with changes from flowers, shrubbery, &c., to park scenery, which render them unusually delightful. The unfortunate Princess is delighted with the change, and her state is already greatly improved by it. Her medical attendants, however, have no hope of any ultimate recovery for her. She still believes her husband to be on the ill-fated throne of Mexico; she appears to give imaginary audiences to people from Mexico, with whom she seems to converse respecting that country and its affairs. She has not thrown off her habitual melancholy, nor is she likely to do so, that melancholy being caused by the fact of her separation from her husband, which she appears to attribute to his anxiety for her personal safety. Of the facts of the downfall of the short-lived attempt to rescue Mexico from revolutionary violence by the establishment of permanent institutions, of the defection of those who surrounded her husband, and of his execution by his victorious enemies, she appears to have no knowledge. The Queen of the Belgians, a most amiable and charming woman, visits her unfortunate sister-in-law two or three times a week, and her visits appear to have a very soothing effect on the mind of the latter, who is calmer and in far better health since her establishment in her present residence.

Downfallen potentates are plentiful at the present day. The latest of these, viz., the ex-Khedive of Egypt, is still without a residence on *terra firma*. He is trying to purchase, or to hire on a long lease, some suitable dwelling for himself and his harem; the latter, including the endless retinues of female servants in attendance on his numerous "wives," amounting to the inconvenient number of three hundred persons. While his father is thus compelled to remain, with his "following," on board his splendid steam yacht in the Bay of Naples, the new Khedive is settling down into the place left vacant by the deposition of Egypt's last ruler. His Highness has been visiting Alexandria, which city he reached (from Cairo) by a special train, to which the "Palace cars"—memento of Ismael's reign—were attached. The regiment of cavalry which escorted his victoria through the town consisted of men of splendid *physique*, all six feet high, on superb horses. They wore a brilliant uniform of blue, embroidered with silver. The procession, on leaving the Cairo station, went slowly down the street Cherif, half a mile long. The brilliant uniforms, the thronging populace, the splendid palaces flanking the avenue, the balconies full of ladies, and, above all, the right Royal decorations—all viewed in the clear atmosphere, and beneath the glowing sun of Egypt, combined to form a scene of marvellous beauty. On the embellishments of many of the houses, large sums of money had been expended; some of the balconies were draped with rich velvet, looped up with gold, and glowing with choice flowers. Passing under a noble arabesque arch, the new Prince entered the great square, round which he drove to his marine residence, the Rasel-Lin, a vast pile of somewhat incongruous buildings, not very attractive outside, but rivalling, inside, the magnificence of the Alhambra. At night, the whole of Alexandria was illuminated. The public buildings and large houses were outlined in flame, and rows of tiny coloured lamps were wreathed round the pillars. The arches blazed with light, and across the streets festoons of Chinese lanterns shed a glow on the scene which was truly Asiatic. A splendid transparency of the new Khedive, with the inscription "Long live Tewfik," was lit up on the arch on the Grand Square. At the Hotel de l'Europe, endless lines of coloured light, gas designs, and another great transparency, made the street as light as day. The French Consulate was outlined in jets of gas, with ornamental designs on the *facade*, and scores of Roman candles were kept burning on the roof. The cost of these illuminations must have been immense, for they were repeated on the two subsequent days of the Khedive's visit. The whole demonstration wound up with the performance of "Madame Angot," at the Lizina Theatre, which his Highness attended, and where he received an enthusiastic ovation, his popularity being, for the present, immense.

Verdi, who composed his opera of "Aida" for the late Khedive, and at his command, being visited, some ten days ago, at Genoa, by Prince Amadeo, stated that his age and infirmities had compelled him to relinquish all attempts at musical composition. Verdi being thus withdrawn from the operatic field, who is there to carry on the work of operatic composition, carried to so magnificent a point of development by the great composers of a generation ago?

A painful occurrence has saddened the habitues of the Altorf Theatre, where, a short time ago, during the performance of "Lucia di Lammermoor," a violent thunderstorm broke over the house, just as the tenor was singing the air of Edgardo in the malediction scene; the tenor was struck by the electric fluid, and fell forward on the stage. He was raised immediately not dead, but paralysed in every limb. The performance was brought to an abrupt termination, and the audience dispersed, painfully affected by the distressing occurrence.

The people of Arles, following the fashion now prevalent of holding *fetes* to commemorate distinguished Frenchmen, have just had a celebration in honour of Lamartine. Those of Plessy have paid a similar compliment to Jean Jacques Rousseau; and Perpignan has fixed on the 21st of next month for a similar glorification of the astronomer Arago, a statue of whom is to be then and there inaugurated.

A Russian physician, Mr. Malarevsky, to prevent the shortsightedness so common among literary men, proposes to print books in white upon black paper, which experiments of his on 50 persons have shown him to be the right remedy; his Government, meantime, with another and more hopeless shortsightedness, has just dismissed the 8000 women hitherto employed as telegraph clerks in State offices on the Russian railways.

Tenders.

BOROUGH OF BURWOOD.

Separate TENDERS (addressed to the Mayor) are invited until THURSDAY, 30th October, for the undermentioned works:—

1. For breaking 500 tons of boulder metal to 2½-inch gauge.
2. For fencing Wharf Reserve at Hen and Chicken Bay with a six feet ironbark paling fence.

Specifications can be seen on application to the overseer, Mr. James Hewitt.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

EDWARD FARR, Council Clerk.

Council-chambers, Burwood, October 23, 1879.

CONSULATE OF FRANCE.

NEW CALEDONIA AND DEPENDENCIES.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at Noumea (New Caledonia), at the Offices of the Superintendent of the Navy, and publicly opened on the 3rd November, at 2 p.m., for the following supply required for 1880:—

Newcastle (Australia) Coals ... 750,000 kilogr.
Bulli or Wollongong Coals ... 2,250,000 ...

N.B.—The necessary documents to be seen at the French Consulate, in Sydney.

No. 79-93. Town Clerk's Office, Sydney, 24th October, 1879.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received at this office until 11 o'clock on TUESDAY, the 4th November, for the Erection of a RETAINING WALL IN RILEY-STREET, in accordance with plan and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor.

CHAS. H. WOOLCOTT, Town Clerk.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, BURWOOD.

TENDERS invited until 30th instant for Tuckpointing and Cementing. Apply to Rev. C. M'CARTHY, Burwood.

TENDERS are invited until Saturday, 8th November, for erection of VILLA RESIDENCE, at Lyndhurst, GLEBE POINT.

Plans and specifications at my office, 183, Pitt-street, opposite City Bank.

FERDINAND REUSS, Jun., Architect.

TO BUILDERS.—COMMERCIAL BANK, CAMPBELLTOWN.—The time for the reception of tenders for the above is extended to MONDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER.

MANSFIELD, BROTHERS, Architects, 165, Pitt-street, Sydney.

TO PLASTERERS.—TENDERS are invited for the Plastering of House, Cleveland-street, near Moore Park, where plan and specification may be seen.

P. DOLAN, Builder.

TO THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.—TENDERS are invited from gentlemen willing to attend the members of a Sydney Benefit Society. Address, stating terms, Medicus, HERALD Office.

TENDERS for Carpenter and Joiner's Work of a House; labour only; also, for Plastering, labour only. Apply No. 1, Lyndhurst-terrace, Pyrmont Bridge Road, Glebe.

TENDERS wanted for the Brickwork of a Shop and Dwelling House, at Petersham; labour only. For plan, apply No. 5, Regent-terrace, Regent-street, N. Kingston; or Mr. GOULD, Butcher, Petersham.

TENDERS will be received up to the 27th for the Erection of a House and Cottage, St. Leonards. Plans, &c., may be seen at the North Shore Hotel, corner of Miller and Berry streets.

TENDERS required for Plastering first new building on Newtown Road.

TENDERS invited for Additions to a House. Apply 123, Buckingham-street, between 6 and 9 p.m.

TENDERS for Brickwork of House, situated Albert-st., Marrickville. Apply on job, Monday morning. Labour only.

TO PLUMBERS and Gasfitters.—TENDERS wanted for HOTEL and House. Paddington and Cascade sts., Pad.

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Tenders to be addressed to E. W. Severne, Esq., Richmond Vale, East Maitland, on or before the 15th November, 1879. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Full particulars can be obtained upon application to Messrs. J. G. Dougharty and Co., Melbourne, Victoria; or to Brunker and Wolfe, West Maitland, and 271, George-street, Sydney.

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RICHARD M'COY.

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Messrs. FARMER and COMPANY have much pleasure in announcing that, in terms of communication as under, from Messrs. C. J. BONNET and CIE, RUE DU GRIFFON, LYON, they are appointed Agents for these celebrated Silk Manufacturers to represent them at the Sydney International Exhibition.

Messrs. FARMER and COMPANY have also been fortunate in securing the purchase of the entire portion of Messrs. BONNET'S SILK EXHIBITS, and will be prepared to receive orders for same at their Warehouse, Victoria House, Pitt-street. Ladies visiting the GARDEN PALACE are invited to inspect the contents of their showcase, which will be in position in the FRENCH COURT during the week.

It is no mere hyperbole to describe the productions of this unrivalled firm, as of "world-wide reputation." There is no city of importance in Europe or the East into which they do not enter. The West-End Houses in London, with the highest standing as Silk Mercers, are those who do most largely or exclusively in these celebrated goods. And in the great American Continent, despite a duty on manufactured silks simply prohibitive to every other known maker, the Silks of Messrs. C. J. Bonnet find a place in the largest soft-goods stores.

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"Messieurs Farmer et Cie, Sydney,
"Nous avons l'honneur de vous informer, que nous vous avons choisis, pour etre nos seuls représentants à Sydney, pendant le cours de l'Exposition, qui doit avoir lieu dans cette ville.
"Nous vous prions de veiller à ce que nos étoffes soient étalées dans les meilleures conditions possible, dans l'espace qui nous a été réservé.
"En meme temps nous confirmons la vente, que nous vous avons faite de ces marchandises, dont vous pourrez prendre possession aussitot la cloture de l'Exposition.
"Nous vous prions d'agréer nos sincères remerciements et de croire à notre haute considération.
"(Signed) Les petits fils de C. J. BONNET ET CIE."

"P.S.—Nous exposons, en meme temps que nos étoffes, un tableau contenant divers specimens des soies, produites dans nos usines. Nous espérons que vous voudrez bien l'agréer, en souvenir des rapports, qui auront uni notre maison à la vôtre."

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Without a doubt very great advantages attend the practice of purchasing direct from the manufacturers, as illustrated in the large shipment of

TAPESTRY CARPETS

now landing ex Centurion, and being prepared for sale in the Carpet Department at Victoria House. It is with considerable pleasure that Messrs. Farmer and Company announce the arrival of these goods. They are from the celebrated looms of MESSRS. JOHN CROSSLEY and SONS, HALIFAX, and comprise a very large assortment of WHITE, SILVER, DRAB, and DARKER GROUNDS in HANDSOME FLORAL and OTHER DESIGNS favourably known in Sydney. The purchase comprises OVER ONE THOUSAND PIECES, marked at the unparalleled price of HALF-A-CROWN PER YARD, goods, such as have always realised in Sydney from 3s 3d to 3s 6d.

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Indian Helmets now being exhibited in one of our windows, in Pitt-street, all at wholesale prices. Gentlemen requiring a cool summer hat should inspect the goods.

A FRESH SHIPMENT WILL BE SHOWN THIS DAY, AT 3s 9d EACH.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

ALL GOODS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

An equitable system, based on sound principles. A system which secures to purchasers the utmost value for prompt cash payments. A system that has commanded unmixed success wherever introduced. To the unquestionable advantages attending their new system, Messrs. FARMER and COMPANY offer, in addition, the opportunity to select from a stock unsurpassed even in European Capitals, in premises unmatched throughout the United Kingdom.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

ALL GOODS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

An unparalleled purchase, that will interest PARENTS AND GUARDIANS,—a large IMPORTER'S STOCK OF JUVENILE CLOTHING, comprising

Boys' Danish Suits	Boys' Sailor Suits
Boys' Brighton Suits	Boys' Knicker Suits
Boys' Kars Suits	Boys' Norfolk Suits
Boys' Oxford Suits	Boys' Tunic Suits
Boys' Galatea Suits	Boys' Derby Suits,

neat patterns and becoming shapes, suitable for BOYS FROM 3 TO 9 YEARS OF AGE, all at SEVEN SHILLINGS AND SIXPENCE PER SUIT.

Altogether, there is a grand total of FOURTEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY SUITS, made up as follows—

84 Suits—wholesale value, 18s 6d
220 Suits—wholesale value, 15s 6d
367 Suits—wholesale value, 14s 9d
265 Suits—wholesale value, 13s 3d
115 Suits—wholesale value, 12s 9d
237 Suits—wholesale value, 10s 9d
152 Suits—wholesale value, 8s 9d.

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS ARE INVITED TO MAKE THEIR SELECTIONS FROM THE ABOVE, AT THE VERY LOW PRICE OF SEVEN AND SIXPENCE PER SUIT.

Customers are advised that instructions have been given to the assistants in the Juvenile Clothing Department not to send any of the above suits on approval, a rule which is rendered necessary by the extraordinary demand that is certain to occur.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

FICHUS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

There are many bargains in our fancy department, but none more tempting than the fashionable black fichus. All the newest designs from 5s 6d upwards.

Attention is also directed to our stock of RIBBONS, THE NEW SHADES BEING SHOWN ARE QUITE WORTH AN INSPECTION. A considerable saving is effected by buying your ribbons at wholesale prices.

EXHIBITION FANS, in neat cases, for presentation. They are being shown in colours to match costumes at 7s and 10s each. A more acceptable present could hardly be made.

PARASOLS, a manufacturer's stock, comprising Plain Tussore 2s 6d each; Embroidered Tussore, 5s 6d each, and an extensive assortment of fashionable silk Parasols from very inexpensive goods to the choicest embroidered silk at 21s each. Every lady visiting our fancy department should make a point of inspecting the parasols this season.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

DRAPERY AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

LOWEST WHOLESALE PRICES for Horrockses' Longcloths, Blankets, Flannels, Sheetings, Linen Damasks, &c. Purchase under the new system, and note its advantages.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

DRESSES AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Exhaustive may well be applied to our assortment of Dress Materials for the present season. There is really an exhaustive assortment. Exquisite washing materials in every known style and texture; charming French Muslins, in new designs, at 6½d, 8½d, 9½d, 10½d. Devonshire and Estamine Serges for the seaside; Lichen Cloths, Cyprus Cloths, French Crepe Cloths, untearable Grenadines, Fancy and Ribbed Sateens, &c., &c. Our Crepe Cloths, at 6½d per yard are worth inspecting.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

GLOVES AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

CURVOISIER'S unequalled French Kid Gloves as exhibited in the Sydney International Exhibition, in 2-buttons, at 2s 11d; 4-buttons, 3s 11d; 6-buttons, 4s 11d; 8-buttons, 5s 11d; and 10-buttons, 6s 11d per pair. This celebrated glove is to be purchased at Victoria House only.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

GLOVES AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

A genuine FRENCH KID GLOVE manufactured for DENT, ALLCROFT, and CO., in 2-buttons, blacks, and all the most fashionable shades at 2s per pair. A glove that has been selected by the leading West End Houses in London, and is held here by Messrs. Farmer and Company only. This glove is now included in the GUERLAIN SCENTED SACHETS, Price, 15s 6d.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

HOSIERY AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Ladies may make their selections in our hosiery department with every confidence. Every pair sold is guaranteed to wear satisfactorily. We have just now a splendid assortment of all the most favoured kinds for spring wear, and are well stocked with inexpensive sorts for children. Ladies' Balbriggan Hose, 12s per dozen.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

PRINTS AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

A fresh shipment just to hand of the PRINTS so favourably known at 4½d per yard. Without a doubt these Prints are excellent value; and the crowds that throng the print counters evidence the public appreciation of these useful printed cloths at wholesale prices.

FARMER'S NEW CASH SYSTEM.

LADIES' TIES AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

A saving not to be despised can be made by purchasing small fancy goods, such as Ties, Collars, &c., at wholesale prices. Just now we are showing some very nice TIES, embroidered ends, 1s each.

EDWARD ARNOLD and CO., OXFORD-STREET, FOR CHEAP KID GLOVES. 2 Button French KID GLOVES only 9½d per pair. A BARGAIN. All sizes.

EDWARD ARNOLD and CO., OXFORD-STREET, for CHEAP PARACHUTES and SUNSHADES.

EDWARD ARNOLD and CO., OXFORD-STREET, for CHEAP BALBRIGGAN HOSE. Children's Black Silk and Lisle Embroidered Hose.

NO PLACE like HORDERN'S, 259, Pitt-street, for Tapestry CARPETS, 1s 11d per yard.

OILSKIN CLOTHING—the best and cheapest. GOLDSTEIN'S Oilskin Factory, 211, Lower George-street.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at

RILEY, BROTHERS', Oxford-street;
RILEY, BROTHERS', Brickfield-hill.

The Balance of Teas, Stuart, and Burnett's Stock

RILEY, BROTHERS, Pitt-street;
RILEY, BROTHERS, 404, George-street.

Teas, Stuart, and Burnett's Stock, at Wholesale Prices.

Boys' R Clothing
Boys' I Clothing
Boys' L Clothing
Boys' E Clothing
Boys' Y Clothing
Boys' Clothing
Boys' Clothing.

Boys' Superior Tweed Suits, 6s 11d.
RILEY, BROTHERS', SALE, TO-DAY.

Men's B Clothing
Men's R Clothing
Men's O Clothing
Men's T Clothing
Men's H Clothing
Men's E Clothing
Men's R Clothing
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NOTICE TO SHOPKEEPERS.

HABERDASHERY.

at

RILEY BROTHERS',

considerably under usual wholesale prices.

Our Standard Prices for the best Haberdashery, imported by us from the manufacturers.

☞ Don't be misled by other advertisements of odd lots of old-fashioned stock, and unsalable makes and sizes.

The following list is for new, sound Goods, in original packets and every article guaranteed full measure and salable. To be had at

RILEY, BROTHERS', 608, Brickfield-hill,
or,
RILEY, BROTHERS', Oxford-street,
or,
RILEY, BROTHERS', Pitt-street,
or,
RILEY, BROTHERS', 404, George-street.

Brook's Glace Cotton, 200 yards, 1s 3d per dozen
Coats' Machine Cotton, 400 yards, 2s 6d per dozen
Evans' Best Crochet Cotton, 1s 9d per dozen
Crochet Cotton, in hanks, 1s 9d per lb
Twilled Blocked Tape, best, 10½d dozen
Finest Black Binding Braid, 11½d per piece of 36 yards
Morley's Patent Mending Cotton, 8½d for a quarter lb. packet
Morley's Green Tie Knitting Cotton, 1s 9d lb
Milward's Needles, Patent Wrap, 10 papers for 13½d
Best Hooks and Eyes, 2½d per gross of 6 cards
12 boxes of Hooks and Eyes, for 3d
Best Country Pins, largest number of rows, 1s 6d per lb., 12 sheets
Machine Needles, all makers, 10½d per dozen
Machine Sewing Silks, on reels, 1s 3d per dozen
Sewing Silks, in skeins, 3d per dozen skeins
Wide White Cotton Braid, 1s per piece of 36 yards
Marshall's best Linen Thread, 2s 6d lb.
Bodkins, superior make, sound, 1s gross
Shirt Buttons, 1s for 12 cards, each containing 12 dozen
Whalebone, 100 slips for 1s 3d
Thompson's Patent Stay Busks, 2s 6d dozen
Women's large Silver Thimbles, 4½d dozen
Stay Laces, cotton and worsted, 3d per dozen
Piping Cord, white and black, 3d per dozen skeins
Very best Linen Buttons, 5½d for 12 dozen.

The above are a few of the items always to be found at either of our establishments in any quantity.

RILEY, BROTHERS, Importers of Haberdashery for Shopkeepers.

N.B.—Orders from the country will receive prompt attention.

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BOYS' TWEED KNICKER SUITS 2s 11d, 4s 6d, 6s 11d.

CHINA SILK COATS
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CHINA SILK COATS. Boys', 5s 11d. Men's, 6s 11d.

LINEN COATS
Linen Coats
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LINEN GRASS CLOTH COATS. Boys', 2s 11d. Men's, 3s 11d.

WHITE SHIRTS
White Shirts
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MEN'S MILITARY FRONTS, 1s 11d each.

YOUTHS' TWEED SUITS
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YOUTHS' LONG TROUSER SUITS, 13s 9d; price elsewhere 27s 6d.

BLACK CLOTH PAGETS
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FANCY WORSTER PAGETS, BLACK CLOTH PAGETS, 15s 9d; usual price 30s.

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RILEY, BROTHERS, OXFORD-STREET.
RILEY, BROTHERS, BRICKFIELD-HILL.
RILEY, BROTHERS, PITT-STREET.
RILEY, BROTHERS, 404, GEORGE-STREET, near King-street.

BOYS' SUMMER SUITS.

The Favourite Shape, WELL CUT, NEATLY FINISHED, and VERY EFFECTIVE IN STYLE.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY have pleasure in directing the attention of Parents to their NEW SAILOR SUITS in WHITE NAVY DRILL, and very PRETTILY TRIMMED with BLUE and BROWN, all sizes, from 0 to No. 7, 6s 9d PER SUIT, or, 3 SUITS FOR 19s 6d.

These are the most effective and useful little Suits for the Summer Season, and may be considered the Best Value offered in the Colony.

Boys' Sailor Suits.	Prettily Trimmed Blue and Brown	6s 9d per Suit, or 3 Suits for 19s 6d.
Boys' Sailor Suits	in Navy Drill, Trimmed Blue and Brown	6s 9d per Suit, or 3 Suits for 19s 6d
Boys' Sailor Suits	The Favourite Shape in Navy Drill, Trimmed Blue & Brown	6s 9d per Suit, or 3 Suits for 19s 6d.
Boys' Sailor Suits	The Best Value in the colony	6s 9d per Suit, or 3 Suits for 19s 6d.
Boys' Sailor Suits	Light, Pretty, and Effective for Summer Wear	6s 9d per Suit, or 3 Suits for 19s 6d.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY'S BOYS' and YOUTHS' SUMMER CLOTHING.

NEAT FANCY TWEED KNICKERBOCKER SUITS, Excellent Shapes, Well Finished.	The Stanley, 22s 6d; The Norfolk, 20s; The Rugby, 25s; The Eaton, 27s 6d; The Waverley, 30s; The Melbourne, 30s.	in all sizes.
Superior Blue Serge Knicker Suits, Sailor Shape	All Sizes 17s 6d per Suit.	Comprising Blue Shirt, separate Collar, White Shirt and Trousers.
The Full Man-of-War Suit, splendidly cut, Regulation Shape.	Complete 25s 6d per Suit.	White Shirt, with Blue Collar and Arm-badge. White Flannel Shirt Blue Trousers and Lanyard.

Perfect in Style, Make, and Finish.

DAVID JONES and COMPANY'S BOYS' and YOUTHS' SUMMER CLOTHING.

WHITE DRILL Knicker Suits	9s per suit.	Trimmed Navy Blue and Brown.
Fancy Drill Knicker Suits	12s 6d per suit.	Trimmed Navy Blue.
Brown Drill Fine quality	7s 6d per suit.	Neat shapes well made.
Holland Knicker Suits	5s 11d to 9s per suit.	Plain and Fancy trimmed.

Superior Tweed Suits for Boys and Youths. Neat Patterns, 25s to 45s per suit.

Coats: China Silk Galateas, 9s 6d; Ditto ditto Sacques, 9s 6d; Ditto ditto Dust Coats, 15s 6d; Holland Galateas, 5s 3d; Alpaca ditto, 8s 6d; Sergerette ditto, 17s 6d; Black Cloth ditto, 15s 6d; Tweed ditto, 10s 6d. — Boys' and Youths'

DAVID JONES and COMPANY.

GENTLEMEN'S International Tweed Suits	The "Marquis" favourite Shape	29s 6d per suit.
Gentlemen's International Tweed Suits	Well-cut Coat, Vest, Trousers	29s 6d per suit.
Gentlemen's International Tweed Suits	The Paget Shape	33s per suit.
Gentlemen's International Tweed Suits	The Best Value in the Colony	50s per suit.
Gentlemen's International Tweed Suits	Well-cut All Wool Favourite Shape	32s 6d per suit.
Gentlemen's International Blue Serge Suits	Fine quality Well-cut and Very desirable	32s 6d to 36s 6d per suit.
Gentlemen's International Blue Serge Suits	Double-breasted Well-cut and finished	29s 6d to 36s 6d per suit.

GENTLEMEN'S LIGHT SUMMER COATS, in

Military Duck, hand sewn. — Well cut, stand collars, 28s 6d.

Superior China Silk hand sewn. — Indian shape, stand collars, 19s 6d.

Imperial and Oxford Single-breasted Sacques, the favourite shapes. — China Silk, 14s 6d each; Military Duck, 15s 6d each; Blue Serge, 18s 6d each; Black Alpaca, 12s 6d each; Black Merino, 17s 6d each; Black Sergerette, 27s 6d each.

DAVID JONES AND COMPANY'S SUPERIOR SUMMER CLOTHING.

THE GLADSTONE and BEACONSFIELD PALETOTS in — China Silk, 19s 6d; Black Merino, 30s; Black Alpaca, 23s 6d; Black Merino, 17s 6d; Black Sergerettes, 27s 6d.

Special attention is requested to the prices of our superior SUMMER CLOTHING, the garments being cut and made to our order.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND, and VARLEY, 100, KING-STREET.

TO-DAY.

12½d per yard	A SPECIAL PURCHASE of
12½d per yard	DRESS MATERIALS. The
12½d per yard	MOST FASHIONABLE COLOURS in
12½d per yard	FRENCH WOOL BEIZES,
12½d per yard	HOMESPUN BEIZES, TWILL BEIZES,
12½d per yard	FOULARD BEIZES, all
12½d per yard	BEAUTIFULLY LIGHT TEXTURES and
12½d per yard	ALL PURE WOOL, at
12½d per yard	12½d PER YARD. The
12½d per yard	USUAL PRICE of
12½d per yard	THESE GOODS is
12½d per yard.	EIGHTEENPENCE.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND, and VARLEY.

LOT 1. NEW GOODS at 12½d.	will show THIS DAY, a MERCHANT'S STOCK of VERY SUPERIOR and MOST FASHIONABLE DRESSES.
LOT 2. NEW GOODS at 15½d.	LOT 1, 12½d per yard. LOT 2, 15½d per yard.
LOT 3. NEW GOODS at 18½d.	LOT 3, 18½d per yard. All the above are fully 20 to 25 per cent. below
LADIES! Send for Patterns.	USUAL PRICES. PATTERNS POST FREE.

CRAWSHAW, M'CLELLAND, and VARLEY.

LADIES CAN BUY at HORDERN'S in Pitt-street much more reasonable than elsewhere, because Goods are Imported Fresh and at First Cost from the most Celebrated Manufacturers.

J. L. HORDERN desires to draw special attention to his Silks at 2s 9d per yard, the same goods elsewhere 3s 6d.
J. L. HORDERN, 259, Pitt-street, desires to draw the attention of Housekeepers to his Tapestry Carpets, 1s 11d per yard, elsewhere 2s 3d or 2s 6d.
J. L. HORDERN wishes Ladies to know that Dress Materials are made a specialité of at his Establishment, in Pitt-street.

Boys' Suits, 6s 11d, 6s 11d, 6s 11d, elsewhere 7s 6d.
Men's Pith Hats and Helmets, 2s 11d and 3s 3d, elsewhere 3s 11d and 4s 6d.

I have always been able to sell cheap because I have abundance of Capital, Capital enables me to give my customers the best value for their money, that is why this Shop is so extensively Patronised.

J. L. HORDERN, Silk Mercer, 259, Pitt-street.

GENTLEMEN'S READY MADE SUMMER CLOTHING.

THOMPSON and GILES are showing a very extensive Stock of every description of CLOTHING, SUITABLE for the PRESENT WARM WEATHER, comprising

COATS, in every Fabric and Shape.	Silk Dust Coats, 17s 6d; Silk Dust Coats, 21s; Silk Galatea Coats, 10s 6d; Silk Galatea Coats, 15s; Silk Galatea Coats, 16s 6d; Silk Sac Coats, 17s 6d; Cold Lustre Coats, 12s 6d; Black Alpaca Coats, 13s 6d; Black Merino Coats, 19s 6d; Merino Frock Coats, 33s 6d; Alpaca Frock Coats, 32s 6d; Grass Cloth Coats, 9s 6d; White Duck Coats, 13s 6d.	all well made and latest styles.

THE TRANSPARENT AND LUXURIOUS SILK COAT.

WASHING VESTS.	White Baden Vests, 5s 9d; White Baden Vests, 7s 9d; Coloured Baden Vests, 8s 9d; White Marcella Vests, 5s 9d; White Marcella Vests, 7s 9d; Black Alpaca Vests 6s 9d.	PERFECT FITTING.

THE AMERICAN LAWN DUST COATS, 5s 9d.

Our Own Make	All-Wool Trousers, 8s 6d; Bliss Tweed Trousers, 9s 6d; Tweed Trousers and Vests, 25s; Tweed Suits, 35s; Serge Suits, 42s.	Well Cut

Cricketing Trousers thoroughly shrunk.

Boys' and Youths' Summer Clothing of every description Fashionable and Cheap.

THOMPSON and GILES, Tailors and Clothiers, Denison House, George-street.

IMPORTANT TO CLERGYMEN.

READY-MADE CLOTHING, SUITABLE FOR THE PRESENT WARM WEATHER. THOMPSON and GILES ARE SHOWING A LARGE AND WELL-ASSORTED STOCK OF CLERGYMEN'S READY-MADE CLOTHING, consisting of CLERICAL SACS and BODY COATS in MERINO, ALPACAS, and VALERIAN CORDS. VALERIAN CORD TROUSERS and VESTS. ALL WARRANTED THE BEST BLACK DYES. MERINO, ALPACA, and SILK DUST COATS. POCKET SURPLICES IN CASES, 25s each.

THOMPSON and GILES, Denison House, George-street.

ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS, HAYMARKET, have only the one place of business.

Special value in PRINTS. For the Summer nothing is nicer, nothing is cooler, nothing is cheaper, than a nice Pattern Print as sold at the Haymarket.

LADIES' HATS.

PRINTS PRINTS PRINTS P R I N T S.

50 Cases New Dress Materials now on Sale at the HAYMARKET. All new Goods. No refuse Stocks, but directly imported from the Manufacturers

DRESSES. DRESSES. DRESSES.

LADIES' HATS.

D R E S S E S.

The cheapest House in the city for Household Goods Carpets, Curtains Damask Table Covers Mosquito Nets Mattings, Sheetings Towels, Napkins Hollands, Muslins.

As we have only the one address, and our name is used by others, please be particular and visit us at the HAYMARKET. ANTHONY HORDERN and SONS.

Auction Sales.

Thoroughbred Horse.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. Readford to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY at 12 o'clock,

A bay gelding, broken to saddle, by Young Sir Hercules (same sire as Jupiter), by old Sir Hercules; dam by Sir Alfred, by Dover (imported), g dam by Little Jackey, by St. John (imported).

Horses, Vehicles, and Harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots not specially advertised; and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.

Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown any afternoon.

Chestnut Saddle and Harness Horse.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A chestnut gelding, broken to saddle and harness; good in both.

Pair of Horses and Harness
Commercial Buggy, built by Halley.

GEORGE KISS has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on THURSDAY next, at 12 o'clock, the property of a gentleman having no further use for them,

A pair of horses and set of double harness
A commercial buggy, built by Halley, making a first-class turnout.

T. COSGROVE and CO. will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A superior saddle and harness horse, 4 years old, very stylish
Brown horse, 4 years old, most suitable for merchant's work
Bay mare, 4 years old, nice buggy mare, and good in saddle
Other useful saddle and harness horses, buggies, spring-cart, &c.

SOCIABLE, 2 HORSES, AND HARNESS, COMPLETE.

T. COSGROVE and CO. have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,

A sociable, with two horses and harness, complete.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
35 FIRST-CLASS HEAVY DRAUGHT AND LIGHT HARNESS HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from F. Bufflere, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY, October 29th, at 2 o'clock,

35 very superior horses, principally from Cliff's celebrated Breeza Stud, they comprise heavy draught colts and fillies by first-class sires, and some very handsome and stylish light harness horses, with plenty of size and breeding, suitable for omnibuses, carriages, and the; the whole are in excellent condition, and confidently recommended to the attention of buyers.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
TO DRAY PROPRIETORS, VANMEN, &c.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Messrs. C. and H. Dunn to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on WEDNESDAY, October 29th, at 2 o'clock,

20 really first-class horses, comprising grand heavy draught colts and fillies by HONEST TOM, MATCHLESS, CONQUEROR, and CHAMPION; also some very handsome upstanding carriage horses. The whole are in splendid condition, and described by Messrs. Dunn as equal to the best they have yet sent to Camperdown.

HORSES HORSES. HORSES.
20 SUPERIOR SOUTH COUNTRY HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS has received instructions from Angus M'Kinnon, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, on THURSDAY, October 30, at 2 o'clock,

20 very superior horses, selected from some of the best studs in the Wagga Wagga district. They comprise heavy and stanch draught horses, and good useful upstanding horses suitable for all kinds of light harness.

The Victoria Yards, Petersham, WEDNESDAY, October 29, at 2.30 p.m.

BRUNKER and WOLFE have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Victoria Yards, Petersham, WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at half-past 2 o'clock sharp,

On account of James Withycombe, Esq.,
150 head of prime fat cattle.
On account of George Loder, Esq.
170 head of prime fat bullocks, from Merah.
On account of Messrs. W. Sloan and Co.,
500 prime fat wethers, from Walhallow.

The aboove cattle will be classed and sold in small lots, as usual.

No reserve. Terms, cash.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from their northern agents to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, October 27, at 11 o'clock,

500 prime fat wethers.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN have received instructions from W. R. Chapman, Esq., to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, October 27, at 11 o'clock,

100 prime and weighty fat bullocks.

WEEKLY WOOL SALE.

HARRISON, JONES, and DEVLIN will sell by auction at the Sale Rooms, in their New Wool Warehouse, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock,

Bales of wool.

Terms, cash.

TRADE NOTICE.

MAIDEN, HILL, and CLARK are instructed to sell by auction, at the Association Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 27th October, at 11 o'clock,

120 prime fat bullocks, for R. Rogers, Esq., Liverpool Plains, balance of those sold on Thursday.
161 prime fat cattle, for J. Hellman, Esq., Iceanba.
70 prime fat cows, for P. Morgan, Esq., Pier Pier
50 prime fat lambs, for —. Wilson, Esq., Wagga Wagga.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock,

500 prime fat sheep.

Fat Cattle. Fat Cattle.

PITT, SON, and BADGERY have received instructions to sell by auction, at Homebush, THIS DAY, 27th October, at 11 o'clock,

For J. M'Elhone, Esq., M.P., 105 prime fat bullocks
For A. A. Company, 174 ditto ditto ditto
For estate late Sloper Cox, 171 ditto ditto cattle.

R. RICHARDS will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour Sheds, 40 carcases prime beef, at 11 o'clock. THIS DAY.

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Auction Sales.

SULLIVAN and SIMPSON have received instructions from J. C. Ryrie, Esq., to sell by auction, at the Association Yards, Homebush, THIS DAY, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock,
150 prime fat bullocks, in lots, from his noted Wesmabah station.

Butchers. Butchers. Butchers.

W. FULLAGAR and SON have received instructions from Messrs. E. S. and C. Halls to sell by auction, at Homebush, 27th October, at 11 o'clock,
60 prime bullocks.
Terms, cash.

Potatoes. Potatoes. Potatoes.
HALL, PRINCE, and CO. will sell by auction, at 11 o'clock, on TUESDAY, on the Union s.s. Co.'s Wharf, in lots to suit purchasers, ex Wakatipu,
600 bags very fine Omaru potatoes.
Offices—Market Wharf.

JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at the Railway Co.'s Station, Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 a.m.,
Hay, bran, and potatoes.

HAY.
JOHN BRIDGE will sell by auction, at H. R. N. S. N. Wharf, TO-MORROW, Tuesday, at 11 o'clock,
Prime lots of lucerne and oaten hay.

ELLIS and CO. will sell by auction at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, lucerne, potatoes, &c.
At 11 o'clock, Billet wood, posts, rails, &c.
On account of whom it may concern.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from the Commissioner for Railways to sell by auction, at their Yards, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
A quantity of goods damaged in the railway accident near Picton.
Also, pigs, sucking pigs, poultry, &c.

WILLIAM INGLIS will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at the Railway, at 9 o'clock,
Hay and straw, by the truck.
At 11 o'clock,
Maize, oats, potatoes, pumpkins, &c., &c.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock, Mudgee oaten hay, Oaten and lucerne hay, chaff, bran, straw, corn, pumpkins, and potatoes.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, Wood, posts and rails.

WELLS and SMITH will sell by auction, at Newtown Railway Station, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, Wood, &c.

Hay, Straw, Chaff, Maize, Potatoes, &c.
DENT and HOSKIN will sell by auction, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 9 o'clock,
Hay, straw, chaff, maize, potatoes.

DENT and HOSKIN will sell, at Darling Harbour, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, Wood, posts, rails, palings, &c.

UNDER DISTRAINT FOR RENT.
ANDREW ALLAN will sell by auction, on the premises, 163, Bullanaming-street, near Cleveland-street, fern, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock sharp,
The right to a good milk walk, including five first-class milch cows. If the above is not sold in one lot the cows will be sold separate
5 young shorthorn cows, in good condition
1 strong bay draught horse, harness, &c.
Dairy requisites, milk cans, &c., lot fowls
Also, the household furniture and effects, comprising furniture for a 6-roomed house. Terms, cash. No reserve.
Office, 129, King-street.

BUILDING MATERIALS.
ANDREW ALLAN will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock, on the premises, Glebe-street, near Mitchell-street, Glebe,
THE MATERIALS OF A WEATHERBOARD COTTAGE —flooring boards, doors, windows, &c.
Terms, cash. No reserve.
Office, 129, King-street.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
R. J. HUGHES and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 268, Pitt-street,
The above, without reserve.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, under warrant of rent (unless previously satisfied), THIS DAY, 27th instant), at 2.30 o'clock, on the premises, Stephen Court, Elizabeth-street,
Office furniture, bookcase, law books, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, under warrant of rent (unless previously satisfied), THIS DAY, 27th instant, at 10 o'clock, on the premises, No. 22, Margaret-street.
Household furniture and effects.

THIS DAY, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock.
TO PARTIES FURNISHING, DEALERS, and Others.
SUPERIOR and USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Effects, nearly new,
comprising
Splendid PIANOFORTE, by Collard and Collard, cost £75 guineas
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, Walnut
Elegant Glass-plate CHIFFONIER
Splendid OVAL PIER GLASS
DINING TABLES, Chairs, Couches, Chiffonier
CARPETS, Oilcloth, Matting
Glassware, Ornaments, Lustres, Pictures, Clocks, Curtains, and Blinds
10 Tubular, Single and Double Iron BEDSTEADS
Mattresses, Palliasses, Bedding
Double and Single Washstand and Sets
Chest Drawers
Bedroom Furniture
Table and Bed Linen
PLATEDWARE, Cutlery, China
Kitchen Utensils, Dressers, Crockery, Safes
DINNER SERVICE, Filter, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions to sell by auction, THIS DAY, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock, on the premises, No. 9, Bligh-street,
The above.
Without reserve.
On view morning of sale at 9 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, 29th instant, at 11 o'clock.
STOCK-IN-TRADE of TINWARE
TINSMITH'S TOOLS
MACHINERY, &c.,
comprising
Large Assortment of TINWARE
Zinc-lined COAL SCUTTLES
DOUBLE-ARM PRESS with Dies for making jam and canister tins
FOLDERS, Burrs, Payne's Down and Knocking-up Machine
PORTABLE FORGE, ANVIL, Stock and Dies
TINSMITH'S TOOLS, Rod Iron, &c.
Also,
OFFICE DESK, few Articles of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
DRAPERY, TWEEDS, Fancy Goods, Toys, Pictures, &c.

H. VAUGHAN has received instructions from Mr. J. Cole to sell by auction, on the premises, No. 237, Sussex-street, near Bathurst-street,
The above, without the slightest reserve.

THIS DAY.
On account and at the risk of the former purchaser.
MR. JOHN SOLOMON has received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, 442, George-street, near King-street, THIS DAY. An assortment of drapery, fancy goods, &c., &c. No reserve.

H. L. DUNN will sell by auction, at his Temporary Sale Rooms, 312, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, October 27, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. T. Hamilton, 210, Liverpool-street; boots, sundries, revolvers, &c., &c., at 11 a.m.; jewellery, at 2 p.m.

Unredeemed Pledges.
H. L. DUNN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 312, Pitt-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
The unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. T. Hamilton, of Liverpool-street, consisting of clothing, boots, blankets, &c., &c.

SALE THIS DAY, MONDAY.
STANMORE ROAD.
IMPORTANT SALE OF FIRST-CLASS FURNITURE.
HENRY PALMER HAS BEEN FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE PROPRIETOR, WHO IS LEAVING FOR ENGLAND, TO SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE, THIS DAY, OCTOBER 27, AT 11 O'CLOCK.
DRAWING AND DINING ROOMS.
Comprising handsome Dolly Varden drawing-room suite in crimson silk rep, gilt inlaid chairs, walnutwood inlaid centre table, dining table, gilt oval pier glasses, Australian and other chairs, chiffonier, clock on black marble stand, fender, fire-irons, lamps, and spring blinds, &c., &c.
BRUSSELS CARPET, FLOORCLOTH, and MATTING, the best quality.
BEDROOM.
A pretty suite in beechwood comprising wardrobe (plate-glass panels), toilet and dressing tables, chest of drawers, towel horse, and chairs complete
Handsome toilet sets
Enamelled half-tester 4-post and single bedsteads, pillows, hair mattresses and palliasses, chests of drawers, toilet tables and glasses, wardrobe and ware, bath, &c., &c.
KITCHEN AND PANTRY.
Breakfast, dinner, dessert and tea services, cut decanters, tumblers and wine glasses, a variety of kitchen requisites, kitchen table and dresser, safe and out-door copper, garden tools, &c., &c.
THE WHOLE OF THE NEARLY-NEW AND VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., &c., SUPPLIED ONLY THREE MONTHS SINCE FROM THE WELL-KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT OF MESSRS. BRADLEY, NEWTON, and CO.
HENRY PALMER,
AUCTIONEER AND VALUER.
May be viewed on morning of Sale, from 9 to 11 o'clock a.m.
Catalogues may be had of the Auctioneer.
OFFICES—152, PITT-STREET.

CLEARANCE SALE.
2 Cases IRON BEDSTEADS
5 Ditto CHIMNEY GLASSES, 50 x 40, 54 x 44, 70 x 50
25 Cwt. HORSEHAIR, loose and in curl
9 Cases ROONEY'S BRUSHWARE
15 Packages COIR MATS and MATTING
5 Cases OIL PAINTINGS and FRAMED PHOTOS
3 Ditto REVOLVERS and E. P. WARE
12 Hogsheads TOILETWARE, JUGS, and MUGS.
On TUESDAY next, 28th instant, at 11.
CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, 28th instant, at 11,
Invoices of the abovenamed goods, to close several accounts for the mail.
Terms at sale.

LONGCLOTHS, PRINTS, SHIRTINGS, SHEETINGS, DAMASKS and DAMASK CLOTHS, PLAIN and PRINTED TABLINGS, CLOTHING, SHIRTS, BATH TOWELS, TURKISH BLANKETS, PRINTED FELTS, HOSIERY, HATS, &c.
On THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, 30th and 31st instant.
CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 167, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next, at 11,
Invoices of new goods as above, now landing ex Clan Grant and Duchess of Argyle.
Particulars on Wednesday.

PRELIMINARY.
In the Assigned Estate of Messrs. WALSH, BROTHERS, DRAPERS, 578, GEORGE-STREET, opposite Cathedral.
The ENTIRE STOCK of GENERAL and FANCY DRAPERY, MILLINERY, UNDERCLOTHING.
For Unreserved Sale by auction, on TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4th, not later than 10.30.
JAMES RODD, 7, Wynyard-street, is instructed by the TRUSTEES in the ABOVE ESTATE to SELL by AUCTION, on TUESDAY, 4th November, UPON THE PREMISES, 578, George-street,
The stock of Messrs. Walsh, Brothers, which is in most excellent condition, well assorted, and will be open for inspection previous to sale, due notice of which will be given.
MEN'S BROWN, GREY, and BLUE HALF-HOSE, OXFORD, WHITE, and CRIMEAN SHIRTS, SILK GALATEAS, CRICKETERS' BELTS and HANDKERCHIEFS, FANCY TWEED TROUSERINGS, 6-4 COATING SERGES and MELTONS, DRESS STUFFS, FANCY LINES, 100,000 NEEDLES (assorted), also a quantity of OPEN STOCK not specially quoted
And ABOUT 20 PACKAGES BOOTS and SHOES.

JAMES RODD will sell by auction, on WEDNESDAY, at 11, at the Rooms, 7, Wynyard-street,
INVOICES of DRAPERY and CLOTHING.

TUESDAY, 28th October, at 11 o'clock.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
PRIZE POULTRY.
BRAHMA COCK.—First prize at International Exhibition. First prize and silver cup at Poultry Society's Show held in Masonic Hall, and second prize at Agricultural Society's Show in April.
6 COCKERELS, from imported birds. First prize at last Agricultural Society's Show.
PAIR PULLETS, first prize at International Exhibition.
Ditto ditto, second prize, ditto ditto.
6 Pairs FLONDUNS, one pair second prize at International Exhibition.
TO POULTRY FANCIERS AND BREEDERS.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on TUESDAY, 28th instant, at 11 a.m.,
PRIZE POULTRY.

WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at 11 a.m.
At the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
BEAUTIFULLY BOUND BOOKS
full of steel engravings
Illustrating the MASTERPIECES of Wilkie, Diemick, Landseer, Mulready, Portaels, Leslie, Lawrence, Reynolds, and other eminent painters.
History of England, Knight's London, Shakespeare
Buffon's Natural History, Histories
Barnes Notes on the New Testament
Pilgrim's Progress, Gibbon's Rome, &c.
ILLUSTRATED Ireland, Scotland, Bosphorous, Danube, and Palestine
Brown's Farriery.
TO PRIVATE BUYERS and BOOK DEALERS.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at their New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at 11 a.m.,
ELEGANTLY BOUND and ILLUSTRATED BOOKS.
Catalogues at the Rooms.

WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at 11 a.m.,
at
the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets.
SPLENDID SELECTION
of
VALUABLE EIGHT DAY BRONZE CLOCKS,
surmounted with figures
HANDSOME AND UNIQUE IN DESIGN
suitable for the
Drawing Room, Dining Room, or Library.
BRONZE FIGURES
ELEGANT Inkstands, in great variety
Thermometers, Twine Boxes, Card Frames
Paper Clips, Paper Weights, Inks, Paper Files
SPECIAL IMPORTATION.
To Private Gentlemen, Watch and Clock Makers, and Commission Agents.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions to sell by auction, at the New Sale Rooms, Spring and O'Connell streets, on WEDNESDAY, 29th October, at 11 a.m.,
SPLENDID SELECTION BRONZE CLOCKS, AND FIGURES, &c., &c.

Preliminary Notice.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
on
TUESDAY, 4th November, at 11 a.m.,
at
the Residence of GEO. ATTWOOD, Esq., Unwin's Bridge Road, Cook's River,
of the
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HORSES, BUGGY, COWS, SADDLES, GARDEN TOOLS, Garden Roller, and a large quantity of sundry lots.
BRADLEY, NEWTON, and LAMB have received instructions from Geo. Attwood, Esq., to sell by auction, at Unwin's Bridge Road, Cook's River, on TUESDAY, 4th November, at 11 a.m.,
THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, HORSES, BUGGY, COWS, SADDLES, garden tools, &c.
Terms, cash.

Labour Bazaar Auction Mart, Pitt-street.
Extensive Sale of Superior
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising
Pianofortes, Drawing and Diningroom Suites, Bookcases, Chiffoniers, Loo, Telescope, and other Tables, Carpets, Pier Glasses, 40 Bedsteads and Bedding, Chests Drawers, Double and Single Wardrobes, Washstands and Sets, Toilet Glasses, Stools, Counters, Shop Fittings, Mangles, &c.
ALEXANDER MOORE and CO. will sell by public auction, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at the Mart, Pitt-street,
The above.

Preliminary Notice.
ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29th, at 11 o'clock.
At the residence of the Rev. FATHER GARVEY, Albert-street, WOOLLAHRA.
HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE SALE of ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
Magnificent Cottage PIANOFORTE
Handsome gilt Pier-glasses, Lustres
China, Electroplate, Cutlery
First-class HOODED BUGGY
Stylish CARRIAGE HORSE, Harness, &c.
ALEX. MOORE and CO. have received instructions from the Rev. FATHER GARVEY, in consequence of his removal to the country, to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, October 29, at 11 o'clock, at the Presbytery, Albert-street, Woollahra,
The whole of his household furniture, &c.
Terms, cash.

IMPORTANT SALE
of
GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES, PRESERVED FISH, &c.
3 Cases Moir's Bloater Paste
12 ditto ditto Anchovey ditto
25 ditto Findon Haddocks
50 ditto 1-lb. Fresh Herrings
10 ditto Herrings, a la sardines
20 ditto Kippered Herrings
25 ditto Red Herrings, 2 dozen tins
12 ditto Tomato Sauce
20 ditto 1-lb. Green Peas
10 ditto Fried Herrings
50 ditto Half Sardines
10 ditto Williams' Baking Powder
18 Boxes Seyers' Currie Powder, 4 oz.
30 ditto ditto ditto, 2 oz.
28 ditto ditto ditto, 1 oz.
LOUIS COHEN has been favoured with instructions from the consignees to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
323 cases merchandize, as above, in fine order and condition.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

200 dozen colonial white and red Wines, in good order and condition.
For positive unreserved sale.
LOUIS COHEN will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY NEXT, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt, without reserve,
200 dozen colonial wine.
Terms at sale.

34 Barrels Currants.
On account of whom it may concern.
With all faults, if any.
LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock sharp, without reserve,
The above.
Terms, net cash.

8 Puncheons Ling Fish.
35 Cases ditto
25 Half-barrels White Herrings
5 Cases Red Herrings.
For POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE,
To close a consignment.
LOUIS COHEN has been instructed to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The above.
Terms, net cash.

NEW and SECOND-HAND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Crockery, GLASSWARE, superior PIANOFORTE, BOOKS, &c.
Removed to the Rooms for convenience of sale.
LOUIS COHEN will sell by auction, at the Exchange Auction Mart, 125, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 29th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt, without reserve.
A very extensive and superior lot of household furniture, &c.
Further particulars in a future issue.

5 bundles China Blinds.
12 x 10, 10 x 8, and 9 x 5, 7 x 4½.
Green and yellow.
5 cases superior Pith Hats.
LOUIS COHEN has been instructed by the importers to to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, the 29th instant, at 11 o'clock prompt,
The above.
Terms at sale.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
Unreserved Sale of Magnificent Household Furniture, Plate, &c., &c.
On an early date, at Balmain, near Gas Company's Works.
ALDWELL and STONE have been favoured with instructions from the proprietor, to sell by public auction,
The whole of his magnificent household furniture, plate, and effects.
Particulars of which will appear in due course. Catalogues will be ready in a few days, when they can be obtained from the auctioneers, 99, Oxford-street.

THIS DAY, 27th OCTOBER.
IMPERATIVE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
ON THE PREMISES, 86 AND 86½, MARKET-STREET, lately occupied by Mr. W. Williams,
THE STOCK-IN-TRADE AND WORKING PLANT OF A BOOT AND SHOE MAKER,
together with
THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FITTINGS, &c,
consisting of
Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes
Uppers, Leathers, Lasts, &c.
Two Glass Show-cases (cost £90)
Counter, Show-case, Office Desk, &c.
Household Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, &c.
To Boot and Shoemakers, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, and others.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions to sell the above by AUCTION, on the premises, 86 and 86½, MARKET-STREET, THIS DAY, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock,
No reserve.
Terms, cash.

TUESDAY, 28th OCTOBER.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION,
at the residence of
C. W. DICKENSON, Esq., 3, LADY ROBINSON-TERRACE, BOURKE-STREET, SURRY HILLS.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS,
comprising—
Drawing-room Suite, in green rep
Plate-glass back Chiffonier, Pier Glass
Walnut Oval Table, Whatnots
Loo and Occasional Tables
Dining Tables, Couches, Chairs
Lounges, Paintings, Pictures, &c.
Tubular Bedsteads and Bedding
Chests Drawers, Toilet Tables, and Glasses
Washstands and Sets, Towel Horse
Iron Bedsteads, Palliasses, and Beds
Curtain Poles, Cornices, Time-pieces
China Glass and Linen
Kitchen Utensils, &c., &c.
To Furniture Warehousemen, Parties Furnishing, Brokers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received instructions from C. W. DICKENSON, Esq., to sell by AUCTION, at his residence, 3, LADY ROBINSON-TERRACE, BOURKE-STREET, SURRY HILLS, on TUESDAY, the 28th instant, at 11 o'clock.
The whole of his superior household furniture and effects.
NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 28th October.
CLEARING SALE, BY AUCTION, OF BULK GOODS.
In the Assigned Estate of J. ISAACS and CO.
Under instructions from Messrs. DAVID COHEN and CO.
3 Cases Electro-plated Ware
2 ditto Girths and Bridles
2 ditto Spurs and Loose-ring Snaffles
1 Case Whips
1 ditto Shot Belts
2 Cases Looking Glasses
1 Cask Hobble Chains
29 Bales Paperhangings
2 Casks Ink
5 ditto Ink Powders
1 Case Cash-boxes
1 ditto Jews' Harps
1 ditto Japanned Ware
1 ditto Tobacco Cutters
1 ditto Mouse Traps
1 ditto Glaziers' Diamonds
1 ditto Waiters and Trays
4 Cases Baskets
1 Case Snathes
8 Cases American Shovels and Spades
7 ditto ditto Axe Handles
1 Case Gold Scales,
&c., &c., &c.
To Ironmongers, Saddlers, Fancy Warehousemen, Shippers, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received positive instructions to sell the above goods, by AUCTION, at their ROOMS, 141, PITT-STREET, on TUESDAY, 28th October, at 11 a.m.
NO RESERVE.
Terms at sale.

FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER.
CLEARING SALE BY AUCTION OF BULK GOODS.
IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF J. ISAACS and CO.,
under instructions from
MESSRS. DAVID COHEN and CO.
105 PACKAGES CROCKERY, CHINA, &c.
87 DITTO TUMBLERS, WINES, DECANTERS, &c.
52 DITTO KEROSENE LAMPS and FONTS
136 DITTO CHIMNEYS and GLOBES, ASSORTED.
To Earthenware and China Warehousemen, Country Storekeepers, Shippers, Dealers, &c.
HARRIS and ACKMAN have received positive instructions to sell the above goods by AUCTION, AT THEIR ROOMS, 141, PITT-STREET, ON FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.
NO RESERVE.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

WEDNESDAY, October 29.
CONGOU TEAS.
The cargo of the barque BLACK PRINCE, from Foochow.
By order of Messrs. GILCHRIST, WATT, and CO.
The shipment comprises:—
G. W. & CO. over S. in diamond.
421 chests
4673 half-chests
2061 boxes
371 boxes pekoe.
This cargo was selected by the famed house of RUSSELL and CO., of Foochow, and, for quality, is equal to any shipped this season.
Muster packages on view, and the importers' directions are to sell the entire parcel.
Buyers are invited to make themselves conversant with the merits of each chop.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at their City Mart, on WEDNESDAY, October 29, at 11 o'clock,
The cargo of teas, just to hand, per Black Prince, as above.
Catalogues will be issued.
Terms liberal.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29.
COLONIAL SUGARS, COUNTERS AND BROWNS,
To Merchants, Grocers, Storekeepers, and others.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 362, George-street, on WEDNESDAY, October 29, at 11 o'clock,
2740 pockets sugar.
Terms at sale.

TUESDAY, 28th instant.
EARTHENWARE, GLASS, and CHINA.
183 Original Packages.
Under instructions from Messrs. MASON, BROTHERS.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 362, George-street, on TUESDAY, October 28, at 10.30 a.m.,
32 original casks china
88 ditto crates earthenware
63 ditto packages glass.
Also,
50 cases "Queen" jam jars, with patent screw tops, 1 pint, 1 quart, 2 quarts.
N.B.—The attention of the trade, country storekeepers, and others is directed to this sale, as a favourable opportunity of replenishing stocks with really salable lines. According to the latest telegrams from England, prices and freights for this class of goods have greatly advanced.
Terms, liberal, at sale.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30.
BRABY and CO.'S PERFORATED ZINC.
Just landed.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 362, George-street, on THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
5 casks perforated zinc, assorted.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30.
AT THE CITY MART.
Topsail schooner ADVANCE,
35 tons register.
Will carry 50 tons, a favourite in the Southern trade, and is in first-class order, having just come off the Patent Slip.
This is a chance for an industrious man for securing a paying vessel.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at the City Mart, on THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
The fine schooner ADVANCE, well found in every way.
She may be inspected at Victoria Wharf, on application to Mr. Henry Clarke.
Full particulars at sale.

WEDNESDAY, October 29th.
42 CASES
SUTTON and CO.'S OLD TOM.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, at 11 o'clock, at the City Mart,
in Bond,
42 cases Sutton and Co.'s Old Tom, an excellent article, has been 4 years in bond.
Terms, cash.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30.
AMERICAN DOORS,
2.6 x 6.6 x 1¼
Under instructions from Messrs. R. TOWNS and CO.
To Timber Merchants, Builders, and others.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by AUCTION, at their Rooms, 362, George-street, on THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
890 doors.
Terms at sale.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30.
IRONMONGERY, RANGES (kitchen), SADDLES, ORNAMENTAL TINWARE, &c.
BALANCE OF SHIPMENTS.
For positive Unreserved Sale.
On account of the Consignees.
FRASER and CO. are instructed to sell by AUCTION, at their Rooms, 362, George-street, on THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
SADDLES, KITCHEN RANGES, IRONMONGERY, ORNAMENTAL TINWARE, &c., &c.
Full particulars at sale.
Terms at sale.

DAY OF SALE, FRIDAY, 31st.
BOOTS and SHOES, BOOTS and SHOES.
Preliminary.
Important and Attractive Sale of New and Choice BOOTS and SHOES.
Without reserve.
Particulars in future paper.
FRASER and CO. have been favoured with instructions to sell by public auction, on FRIDAY, 31st instant, at 11 o'clock,
Several Invoices of Boots and Shoes, now landing.
Terms at sale.

P O S T P O N E D
IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE INCLEMENCY OF THE WEATHER.
MILLS and PILE'S
LAND SALE OF THE PICK OF MARRICKVILLE
HAS BEEN POSTPONED
TILL SATURDAY NEXT, 1st NOVEMBER.
MILLS and PILE, 154, PITT-STREET.

GOOD BUSINESS POSITION, PYRMONT.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from Mr. Jones, to sell by auction, at his rooms, 281, George-street,
on NEXT THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT PIECE of LAND having a frontage of 34 feet to HARRIS-STREET, adjoining the NEW PUBLIC HALL, PYRMONT, and 34 feet to MOUNT-STREET, by a depth of 80 feet.
Upon the MOUNT-STREET frontage is erected a substantial 3-roomed house, built of brick and stone, with iron roof, also large stables.
THE HARRIS-STREET frontage, which is unoccupied, commands a good position for the erection of two GOOD HOUSES, or for MECHANICS' WORKSHOPS. It is at present used by the proprietor as a wood and coal yard.
TITLE—LEASEHOLD, 47 YEARS to run.
TERMS, CASH.

SPLENDID BUILDING SITE,
CARLOW-STREET,
near the Reserve, St. Leonards,
NORTH SHORE.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions to sell by auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street,
NEXT THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
That SPLENDIDLY situated BUILDING site, having a frontage of 60 feet to Carlow-street, St. Leonards, by the great depth of 330 feet, adjoining the residence of J. W. DYER, Esq., and only a few minutes' walk from the RESERVE.
Freehold title. Terms at sale.

TO CLOSE A TRUST ESTATE.
NINE WELL-SITUATED ALLOTMENTS OF LAND, BOURKE TOWN, FIVE DOCK.
To be Sold on the most LIBERAL TERMS.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from the TRUSTEES to sell by public auction, at his Rooms, 281, George-street,
NEXT THURSDAY, October 30, at 11 o'clock,
NINE WELL-SITUATED ALLOTMENTS of land (near the Government bridge in course of erection leading from Balmain across Iron Cove), having frontages of 45 feet to THOMPSON, POLDING, and PLUNKETT STREETS, by depths of 110 and 160 feet.
The terms of sale are 25 per cent. cash upon the fall of the hammer, and the balance can remain for TEN YEARS, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.
Plan at the Rooms.
TITLE, FREEHOLD.

CITY HOTEL BUSINESS.
For Positive Unreserved Sale.
THE LEASE, LICENSE, GOODWILL, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BAR-FITTINGS, and STOCK,
of the
VICTORIA INN, No. 222, PALMER-STREET,
including
TWO LICENSED HANSOM CABS, HORSES, and HARNESS.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from Mr. JOHN LEXTON, whose business operations necessitate his leaving the city, to sell by auction on the premises, 222, PALMER-STREET,
on MONDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER, at 11 o'clock,
THE UNEXPIRED TERM (having 2½ years to run) of the Lease of the VICTORIA INN, situated at the corner of PALMER-STREET and BERWICK-LANE, WOOLLOOMOOLOO;
together with the LICENSE, Goodwill, Barfittings, STOCK-IN-TRADE, and the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
Also,
Two LICENSED PATENT SAFETYS, TWO HORSES, and HARNESS.
The VICTORIA INN is in a POPULOUS NEIGHBOURHOOD, and is doing a GOOD BUSINESS, and the whole will be sold, if possible, in one LOT, otherwise it will be sold SEPARATELY, as the Auctioneer has received positive instructions to sell.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.
Inventory, and further particulars, can be obtained at the Rooms, 281, George-street.

THIS DAY.
TO PLUMBERS, GASFITTERS, and BUILDERS.
POSITIVE and UNRESERVED SALE
of
STOCK-IN-TRADE, PLANT, MATERIALS, TOOLS OF TRADE,
of
PLUMBER'S and GASFITTER'S ESTABLISHMENT.
W. PRITCHARD has received instructions from Mr. T. ADRAIN to sell by auction, on the Premises, 617, George-street,
THIS DAY, Monday, 27th October, at 11 o'clock,
THE WHOLE of his stock-in-trade, plant, materials, and tools of trade.
The AUCTIONEER directs attention to the fact that the above is for Positive Unreserved Sale, unless disposed of privately, for which he is open to accept offers.
Catalogues to be obtained at the Rooms, 281, George-street.

WHARF ROAD, BURWOOD.
A GOOD BLOCK, contains an AREA of 3½ ACRES, paling fenced in, with large gates in main frontage, and on other three sides a good substantial 3-rail fence.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their new Central Auction Rooms, Bell's-chambers, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
on WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER,
A block of land having an area of 3½ ACRES, and having about 330 FEET frontage to the WHARF ROAD, by a depth of about 400 feet.
, This good block is suitable as a choice site for a gentleman's residence, or can be easily sub-divided. It overlooks FIVE DOCK BAY, is near to Mount Grand View Estate, and is situated a short distance off PARRAMATTA ROAD.

HARRIS-STREET, ULTIMO.
BUSINESS PREMISES, consisting of HOUSE, built of brick on stone foundations, with iron roof, and containing SHOP, THREE ROOMS, kitchen, and outhouses; STABLE, &c.
The LAND has a frontage of 15 feet to Harris-street, by a depth of about 60 feet, with back entrance; ground rent, 4s weekly.
The PREMISES ARE LET for 5 YEARS, at a present rental of 30s weekly, the rent to INCREASE EACH YEAR by 5s weekly, reaching 50s weekly during the last year on lease.
, A REALLY GOOD AND SAFE INVESTMENT for a SMALL SUM OF MONEY, yielding steady and good return.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their new Property Sale Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 5th NOVEMBER,
The above described property at Pyrmont, in the centre of a rapidly-increasing population, close to the city.
INSPECTION IS INVITED.

FIRST UNRESERVED SALE.
BLACKFRIAR'S ESTATE.
GEORGE-STREET WEST.
THE UNSOLD LOTS in SECTION 2, SECTION 3, and SECTION 5, fronting ABERCROMBIE, BUCKLAND, GRAFTON, and BLACKFRIAR'S STREETS.
TORRENS' TITLE.
TERMS.—TEN PER CENT. DEPOSIT, balance at 6½ PER CENT. interest.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received POSITIVE INSTRUCTIONS from the PROPRIETORS of BLACKFRIAR'S ESTATE, to sell WITHOUT RESERVE, at their NEW PROPERTY SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5th,
the whole of the UNSOLD LOTS, as above described.
, THE LAND to be offered includes the NORTHERN PORTION of the PROPERTY, including some of the BEST MAIN THOROUGHFARE FRONTAGES.
THE AUCTIONEERS direct the attention of INVESTORS, CAPITALISTS, and BUILDING SOCIETIES to this
FIRST BONA-FIDE UNRESERVED SALE.
THE LAND is well known. THE TITLE is SIMPLE and INEXPENSIVE, and the TERMS are EXCEPTIONALLY LIBERAL.
DAY OF SALE:
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5th.

WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.
ORDER OF SALE of sundry CITY, SUBURBAN, and COUNTRY PROPERTIES to be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the NEW PROPERTY SALE ROOMS, 175, PITT-STREET, at 11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.

STRAWBERRY HILLS, DEVONSHIRE and WILTON STREETS.	17 BUILDING ALLOTMENTS fronting DEVONSHIRE, WILTON, and OTTO STREETS, STRAWBERRY HILLS.
SURRY HILLS, CROWN-STREET, near CLEVELAND-STREET.	BLOCK of LAND, having 50 FEET frontage to CROWN-STREET, by a depth of 90 FEET to a LANE near CLEVELAND-STREET.
DOUBLE BAY, EDGECLIFF ROAD.	4 HOUSES, situate on the EDGECLIFF ROAD, and known as INA-TERRACE, opposite the RESIDENCE of E. KNOX, Esq.
NORTH SHORE, MOUNT and ARTHUR STREETS.	BUILDING ALLOTMENTS of LAND, fronting MOUNT and ARTHUR STREETS, MILSON'S ESTATE.
ST. PETERS, COOK'S RIVER.	BLOCK of LAND, fronting CAMPBELL, HUTCHINSON, and LACKEY STREETS, about 1 ACRE.
ST. PETERS COOK'S RIVER.	BLOCK of LAND, fronting CAMPBELL and LACKEY STREETS with WEATHERBOARD HOUSE thereon.
BURWOOD, WHARF ROAD.	BLOCK of LAND, containing 3¼ ACRES, and fronting WHARF ROAD, BURWOOD.
PENRITH, CASTLEREAGH ROAD, near STATION.	100 ACRES of LAND, fronting CASTLEREAGH ROAD, between PENRITH and CASTLEREAGH with COMFORTABLE COTTAGE thereon.
BLUE MOUNTAINS, THE VALLEY PLATFORM, WYOMING ESTATE.	The WYOMING ESTATE consisting of WYOMING HOUSE and GROUNDS, and subdivided into BLOCKS of from 2 to 100 ACRES.
YASS, WOOLGAROO COPPER and SILVER MINE, YASS RIVER.	WOOLGAROO COPPER LEAD and SILVER MINE, situate on the YASS RIVER, 20 MILES from YASS, containing 1247 ACRES FREEHOLD and 600 ACRES LEASEHOLD.

HARDIE and GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS and VALUERS,
NEW PROPERTY SALE ROOMS,
175, PITT-STREET.

THE WYOMING ESTATE.
BLUE MOUNTAIN BUILDING SITES.
AUCTION SALE of this FAVOURABLY SITUATED PROPERTY, at the ROOMS,
WEDNESDAY, 29th OCTOBER.
LARGE SALE PLAN ON VIEW.
Lithographs obtainable.
HARDIE and GORMAN, 175, Pitt-street.

TERMS OF SALE
for
WYOMING ESTATE, BLUE MOUNTAINS.
HALF CASH. HALF may remain for 6 and 12 MONTHS, at 7 per cent. interest.
HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.
Sale Day—
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 29th INSTANT.

BY ORDER OF THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE, and WITH THE CONSENT OF THE MORTGAGEE.
In the Insolvent Estate of THOMAS DOWNEY, Deceased.
BUILDING LAND AT NORTH SHORE, part of the Milson's Estate.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions from the OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE (with the consent of the mortgagee) to sell by public auction, at their NEW PROPERTY SALE ROOMS, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock,
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29,
LOTS 18 and 19 of SECTION 2, part of Milson's Estate, having 50 feet frontage to MOUNT-STREET, close to Arthur-street
ALSO LOT 15 of section 2, Milson's Estate, having 25 feet frontage to Arthur-street, by depth of 108 feet, between MOUNT and BERRY STREETS.
PLANS MAY BE SEEN at the Rooms.
The SALE is POSITIVE, so that accounts may be closed. The auctioneers therefore invite attention.

DEVONSHIRE AND WILTON STREETS.
STRAWBERRY HILL
adjoining Brumby House Estate.
TORRENS' TITLE. TERMS AT SALE.
HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their New Property Sale Rooms, 175, Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, October 29,
All that Block of Land, situate at the corner of DEVONSHIRE and WILTON STREETS, Strawberry Hill, subdivided as follows:
9 ALLOTMENTS, each having about 18 feet frontage to DEVONSHIRE-STREET, by depths of about 80 feet, to Otto-street, at the rear.
8 ALLOTMENTS, fronting OTTO-STREET and WILTON-STREET, having frontages varying from 15 to 20 feet; upon which are erected SIX COTTAGES, all let to tenants.
This land occupies one of the best positions in this thickly populated locality, and has been subdivided by Mr. REUSS, jun.
PLAN IS READY, and Lithographs may be obtained at the ROOMS.

TO CAPITALISTS, MANUFACTURERS, SPECULATORS, BUILDERS, AND OTHERS.
COWPER WHARF,
WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY.
TWO of the most ELIGIBLY SITUATED VALUABLE and EXTENSIVE BLOCKS of FREEHOLD LAND in this important and RAPIDLY advancing portion of the CITY.
They have very large frontages to
COWPER WHARF
DOWLING-STREET
DUKE-STREET
BROUGHAM-STREET,
and
HARNETT-STREET.
ONE was formerly occupied by Messrs. ELLIOTT and CO., and on the other are FIVE small COTTAGES.
Also,
A PIECE of Land FRONTING the east side of BROUGHAM-STREET, opposite HARNETT-STREET.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
LOT 1. ALL THAT MAGNIFICENT BLOCK of CITY BUILDING LAND, having the following large frontages
215 FEET to DOWLING-STREET
127 FEET to COWPER WHARF
209 FEET to DUKE-STREET
97 FEET to HARNETT-LANE,
together with the stone building thereon, formerly known as Messrs. ELLIOTT and CO.'S COAL DEPOT.
LOT 2. THAT VALUABLE and EXTENSIVE BLOCK of CITY LAND, having the following frontages:—
223½ FEET to BROUGHAM-STREET,
212½ FEET to DUKE-STREET,
112½ FEET to HARNETT-STREET,
with an entrance to COWPER WHARF.
On portion of which are Nos. 16, 18, 20, 22, and 24, Duke-street, five stone cottages with verandahs in front, 4 contain each 3 rooms and kitchen, with shed at the rear, and 1 contains hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, and shed.
LOT 3. BLOCK of building LAND, opposite lot 2, near TUPO-TERRACE, having 54 FEET frontage to the EAST SIDE of BROUGHAM-STREET, with a depth of 49 FEET 9 INCHES.
These properties are in the market for bona fide sale, on the date mentioned, therefore those in search of large blocks of CITY LAND ELIGIBLY situated for BUSINESS PURPOSES and as SITES for PRIVATE DWELLINGS, should not lose this opportunity for securing THE ONLY LANDS now to be purchased fronting COWPER WHARF, WOOLLOOMOOLOO BAY, a position of our harbour that is rapidly coming to the front, and where even at present there is a very large amount of TRAFFIC and SHIPPING BUSINESS.
A LARGE SALE PLAN is now on view at the Rooms.
Messrs. NORTON and SMITH, Spring-street, are Solicitors of the Vendors.

ALBION ESTATE, SURRY HILLS.
SHOP and DWELLING, BELLEVUE-STREET, EAST SIDE, between ALBION and FOVEAUX STREETS.
It is substantially-built of Brick, on Stone foundation, with verandah front and back, and contains Shop, private entrance, and 5 rooms, with large yard, shed, water laid on, &c., at the rear.
The land has 16 FEET 4 INCHES frontage to BELLEVUE-STREET, with a depth of upwards of 90 feet, extending to a wide lane at the rear.
, A faithfully-built property, in a good business position, on the well-known Albion Estate.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from Mr. M. Cloran to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above.
Terms at sale.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
WATERVIEW BAY, BALMAIN.
CONVENIENTLY SITUATED COTTAGE, CHURCH-STREET, known as Mr. ROBERTSON'S PROPERTY, between CURTIS ROAD and SPRING-STREET.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, Sydney, on
FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
All that Allotment of Land, being No. 8 of Section A of the Waterview Estate, at Balmain, having 33 FEET FRONTAGE to CHURCH-STREET, with a depth of 82½ FEET, upon which is a brick built cottage residence, on stone foundation, with verandah in front, and containing 4 rooms, with shed, well of excellent water, &c. at the rear.
In front of the cottage is a small garden plot, also garden and yard at the back.
This is a well-built cottage, and most conveniently situated, only 2 minutes' walk from the steamer's wharf, and close to the Dry Dock.
It is at present let to Mr. Odlum, who will allow intending purchasers to inspect.
Plan of position at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.
MESSRS. FITZHARDINGE and SON, 142, Pitt-street, Solicitors for the mortgagee.

STERLING CITY INVESTMENT.
PARK and ELIZABETH STREETS.
THE AVENUE HOTEL at the corner,
and
SHOP in PARK-STREET.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from THOMAS SALTER, Esq., Attorney for Mrs. S. Tebbutt, of England, to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
ALL THAT most VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK of LAND, being original lot 6 of section 16 of the CITY, having the following frontages:—
70 FEET to ELIZABETH-STREET,
75 FEET to PARK-STREET,
with a depth on the south of 75 FEET.
On it are the following premises:—
THE AVENUE HOTEL,
containing bar, 8 rooms, kitchen, and shed.
HAY and CORN SHOP in PARK-STREET.
This is, without exception, the BEST CORNER BLOCK of LAND in ELIZABETH-STREET, and as a SITE for a FIRST-CLASS FAMILY HOTEL, or PUBLIC BUILDING, cannot be surpassed in the CITY.
It has the PERMANENT advantage of HYDE PARK FRONTAGE, and is in the
VERY CENTRE of the CITY.
Terms at sale.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
THOMAS SALTER, Esq., Hunter-street, is Solicitor of the vendor.
NOTE.—This property adjoins the block of land with buildings thereon, recently vacated by Messrs. Alderson and Sons, now advertised for Sale on FRIDAY, 31st instant.

By ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the ESTATE of the late T. S. MORT, Esq.
DARLING POINT.
THE OCTAGON,
a DELIGHTFULLY situated VILLA RESIDENCE, with upwards of half an acre of land, on the elevated ground between GREENOAKES, the mansion and grounds of the late T. S. MORT, Esq.; and GLENROCK, the property and RESIDENCE of the Honorable JOHN MARKS.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
THE OCTAGON,
A PRETTILY SITUATED VILLA RESIDENCE, on a reserved road, a few yards east of the MAIN DARLING POINT ROAD.
It has wide verandah on the eastern side, and contains entrance porch, hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and pantry, with wood and coal bins, &c., at the rear.
THE GROUNDS comprise an area of 2 roods 5½ perches, and have 116 FEET frontage to a RESERVED ROAD (leading from the MAIN ENTRANCE to GREENOAKES) with a depth of 86 FEET.
, The views from the Octagon are exceedingly beautiful and picturesque, immediately in front, looking eastward, are the gardens and attractive grounds of GREENOAKES, and in the distance are the heights of WOOLLAHRA, studded with pretty villas, the waters and village of DOUBLE BAY being just below; while the westerly views take in Sydney, the harbour, and the country beyond, backed up by the BLUE MOUNTAINS.
Inspection invited, for which purpose cards to view can be obtained from the Auctioneers.
A plan of the property is on view at the Rooms.
Terms at sale.

ELIZABETH-STREET,
HYDE PARK.
MAGNIFICENT CITY FREEHOLD.
All that extremely valuable and extensive BLOCK of FREEHOLD LAND, opposite HYDE PARK, having FEET frontage to ELIZABETH-STREET, a few feet from the corner of PARK-STREET, with a depth of about 70 FEET, formerly occupied by Messrs. ALDERSON and SONS.
This is without exception the most choice block of Freehold Land now in the market, and having HYDE PARK FRONTAGE, it is in every respect well adapted as a SITE for a LARGE PUBLIC BUILDING, or for an imposing TERRACE of FIRST-CLASS RESIDENCES, suitable for PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMEN, it is well worthy of attention.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions from W. M. Alderson, Esq., J.P., to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock,
Choice block of building land, Elizabeth-street, Hyde Park.
Terms at sale.
TITLE—TORRENS' ACT.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
NOTE.—This property adjoins the AVENUE HOTEL (at the corner of Elizabeth and Park streets), now ADVERTISED for SALE on the same day.

By order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate of the late G. PREDDY, Esq.
PITT-STREET,
a few feet south of Liverpool-street.
BLOCK of LAND, having 38 FEET frontage to the south side of a roadway off Pitt-street, adjoining JAGLEMAN'S BUSINESS PREMISES, with a depth of 25 feet, together with the two-roomed weatherboard HOUSE thereon, let at 8s per week.
, This centrally-situated small city freehold abuts on Mr. Jagleman's premises in Pitt-street, near the corner of Liverpool-street, and is connected with the sewer.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st October, at 11 o'clock,
The above described city property.
Messrs. DAINTREY and CHAPMAN, Elizabeth-street, Solicitors of the Estate.

FOR POSITIVE SALE.
BY ORDER of the EXECUTORS of the late Mrs. JANE HUGHES.
CITY PROPERTY.
FOUR DWELLING-HOUSES off PITT-STREET, near LIVERPOOL-STREET, at the rear of Mr. JAGELMAN'S Store, and abutting on Messrs. CAMERON, DUNN, and CO'S premises.
NEWTOWN.
THAT EXTENSIVE BLOCK of LAND, KING and WILSON STREETS, adjoining Mr. JOHNSON'S, Saddler, with the premises thereon, occupied by
Mr. SALMON, Bootmaker
Mr. JOLLY, Paperhanger and Contractor
and
Mr. CROOK, Builder.
In two lots.
CAMPERDOWN.
FOUR DWELLING-HOUSES, GROSE-STREET, on the north side, between the MISSENDEN ROAD and CAMPERDOWN ROAD, close to the COLLEGE GROUNDS.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The following freehold investments—
PITT-STREET.
LOT 1.—ALL THAT block of land having frontage to a right-of-way off Pitt-street, near Liverpool-street, upon which are erected FOUR 2-story brick DWELLING-HOUSES, each containing two rooms.
NEWTOWN.
LOT 2.—ALL THAT VALUABLE CORNER BLOCK OF LAND, having the following frontages—
94 FEET to KING-STREET (main road),
94 FEET to WILSON-STREET,
with a width at the north end of 62 FEET, on which are erected the following business premises—
Mr. SALMON'S BOOT SHOP at the corner,
Mr. JOLLY'S Paint and Paperhanging premises, containing large shop and store, six rooms and kitchen.
LOT 3.—Block of land adjoining lot 2, and having frontages of
40 FEET to KING-STREET,
40 FEET to WILSON-STREET,
with a depth on one side of 62 FEET and 87 FEET on the other, on which are the premises occupied by Mr. Crook, builder.
They COMPRISE BRICK SHOPS on the frontage, and Wooden Workshops and Timber Yard at the rear.
CAMPERDOWN.
LOT 4.—All that Block of Land, being lots 41 and 42 of GEORGEVILLE, between MISSENDEN and CAMPERDOWN ROADS, having 60 FEET frontage to GROSE-STREET, with a depth of 90 feet, extending to a lane at the rear, on which are erected FOUR DWELLING-HOUSES, containing each hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen, with good yards, &c., at the rear.
These properties are in the market for bona-fide sale, and must be disposed of in order to close the Estate.
Terms at sale.
S. C. BROWN, Esq., M.P., Pitt-street, is solicitor for the estate.

LORD'S PADDOCK, NORTH SHORE.
Beautifully situated VILLA SITE, being lot 6 of section 1, of the subdivision of LORD'S PADDOCK, having 46 FEET frontage to a reserved street, at the top of Mount-street, with a depth of 120 feet and a width at the rear of 20 feet 9 inches.
, A capital Building Site, on the elevated ground close to the Mansions and grounds of Messrs. Dibbs and Holterman.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 31st OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above described allotment, at North Shore.
Plan on view at the Rooms.
C. B. PITT, Esq., George-street, Solicitor of the vendor.

PITT-STREET, REDFERN.
All the Right, Title, and Interest of ELIZA LUCY ELLIOTT, in and to all that piece or parcel of Land, situate in Pitt-street, Mount Lachlan Estate, being part of the allotment adjoining the land of HENRY LIPSCOMB, bounded on the east by Pitt-street aforesaid, from the north-east corner of a private roadway from Pitt-street through part of the said allotment north 23 feet; on the north, by a line bearing west 100 feet from Pitt-street aforesaid, being part of the northern boundary of the said allotment; north-west by a line bearing south 23 feet from the western extremity of the said line of 100 feet to a private roadway aforesaid, and on the south by the said roadway 100 feet to the point of commencement, together with the Weatherboard COTTAGE thereon.
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The above.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney, 23rd October, 1879.
TOOTH AND ANOTHER v. ROSS.
ON MONDAY, the 27th instant, at 11 a.m., on the premises, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo, known as the Champion of Freedom Hotel, unless this warrant is previously satisfied, the SHERIFF will cause to be sold by public auction, Household furniture, spirits, &c., together with lease and license of the above hotel.
Terms, cash.
CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

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Government Notices.

General Post Office, Sydney, 25th October, 1879.

IT is hereby notified that the following Tenders for the Conveyance of Mails from the 1st January next have been accepted. Other tenderers for the same lines will please accept this as a notification that their tenders are declined:—

WESTERN ROADS.

1. Railway Station and Post-office, Parramatta, four times or oftener daily—John Stein, horseback, 1 year, £50.
2. Sackville Reach and Lower Portland, three times a week—Henry Everingham, horseback, 3 years, £24 per annum.
3. Wiseman's Ferry and Lower Hawkesbury, once a week—William George Cross, horseback, 3 years, £20 per annum.
4. Kurrajong and Kurrajong Heights, six times a week—Arthur Powell, horseback, for £37 per annum, or buggy twice a week, and on horseback four times a week for £49 per annum; contractor to carry out either service as required. (Contract to terminate at one month's notice on either side.)
5. Kurrajong and Colo, twice a week—Thomas Caterson, horseback, 3 years, £30 per annum.
6. Penrith Post-office and Railway Station, Penrith, three times or oftener daily—George Nash, horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
7. Railway Station, South Creek, and Post-office, St. Mary's, twelve times a week—John Worthington, horseback, 3 years, £30 per annum.
8. Hartley and Lowther, once a week—Daniel Ryan, horseback, 1 year, £11 16s.
9. Bowenfels and South Bowenfels, six times a week—Charles Orchard, horseback, 1 year, £35.
10. Wallerawang Railway Station and Post-offices, Wallerawang, Lidsdale, Cullen Bullen, Capertee Camp, Ilford, Cudgegong, Appletree Flat, and Mudgee, six times a week—Not yet decided.
11. Ilford and Rylstone, three times a week—Thomas Vabsley, 2-horse coach, 3 years, £35 per annum.
12. Mudgee, Cullenbone, and Guntawang, twice a week—Joseph M. Cox, horseback, 1 year, £39 10s.
13. Mudgee, Merrendee, Burrendong, and Ironbarks, twice a week—John H. Gorrie, horseback, 1 year, £126.
14. Mudgee, Cooyal, Yellow Waterhole, Barragon, and Wollar, twice a week—William Kellet, jun., horseback, 3 years, £85 per annum.
15. Mudgee, Budgee Budgee, and Cassilis, twice a week—Henry Rose, horseback, 3 years, £110 per annum.
16. Home Rule and Canadian Lead, six times a week—Michael Morony, horseback, 1 year, £25.
17. Gulgong, Denison Town, and Coolah, via Taliewang, twice a week—not yet decided.
18. Mundooran and Coolah, via Queensborough Flat, Bothero, Digilah, and Dunkimini, once a week—John Conolly, horseback, 3 years, £49 per annum.
19. Coonabarabran and Tambar Springs, via the Box Ridges and Saltwater Creek, once a week—James Macguire, 1 year, £50.
20. Coonamble and Barradine, via Nebea, Teridgerie, Billeroy, Terembone, and Urawilky, once a week—John M. Facer, horseback, 3 years, £80 per annum.
21. Mitchell's Creek and Palmer's Oakey, twice a week—Peter M'Kinnon, jun., horseback, 3 years, £29 per annum, conditionally.
22. Macquarie Plains and O'Connell, three times a week—George Roberts, horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
23. O'Connell and Essington, twice a week—William Bailey, horseback, 1 year, £25.
24. Kelso and Glanmire, via Raglan, six times a week—James E. Marsden, horseback, 3 years, £60 per annum.
25. Railway Station and Post-office, Bathurst, twelve or more times a week—Henry H. Nichols, 4-wheeled coach, 3 years, £79 10s per annum.
26. Bathurst and Chambers's Creek, once a week—John T. Jardine, horseback, 1 year, £12.
27. Bathurst and Eerom, six times a week—John T. Jardine, horseback, 1 year, £20.
28. Bathurst, Winburndale, and Hill End, via the Bridle Track, three times a week—Richard J. Oldfield, horseback, 1 year, £150.
29. Bathurst and White Rock, six times a week—Richard J. Oldfield, horseback, 1 year, £52.
30. Peel, Clear Creek, and Limekilns, twice a week—Mary A. D'Aran, horseback, 1 year, £45.
31. Sofala and Upper Turon (junction of Palmer's Oakey Creek with the Turon River), twice a week—John Tyrrell, horseback, 3 years, £29 15s per annum.
32. Sofala and Box Ridge, twice a week—William Cole, horseback, 3 years, £23 per annum.
33. Sofala and Hill End, three times a week—John O'Rourke, coach 2 or 4 horses, 3 years, £175 per annum, conditionally.
34. Cow Flat and The Lagoon, twice a week—Albert Whiteman, horseback, 1 year, £30.
35. Railway Station, Newbridge, and Post-offices, Newbridge (Hobby's Yards), and Trunkey Creek, three times a week—Christopher Hade, coach, 2 horses, 3 years, £80 per annum.
36. Railway Station and Post-offices, Blayney and Carcoar, six times a week—Not yet decided.
37. Blayney and Brown's Creek, three times a week—Martin Hickey, horseback, 3 years, £24 per annum.
38. Blayney and Vittoria, twice a week—Martin Hickey, horseback, 3 years, £26 per annum.
39. Carcoar, Shaw, and Mount Macquarie, twice a week—George Lobley, horseback, 1 year, £39 12s.
40. Carcoar, Mandurama, Lyndhurst, Sheet of Bark, and Cowra, six times a week—Not yet decided.
41. Mandurama and Walli, via Evan's and Cliefden, twice a week—Cornelius Flynn, 1 year, £29 10s.
42. Cowra, Goolagong, and Forbes, three times a week—William P. Jones, horseback, 1 year, £148.
43. Cowra and Grenfell, three times a week—Not yet decided.
44. Grenfell and Marsden's, twice a week—Alfred Hilder, horseback, 3 years, £85 per annum.
45. Grenfell and Brundah Creek, twice a week—William Barker, 3 years, £30 per annum.
46. Grenfell and Goolagong, via Warraderry Creek and Tinpot, once a week—Alfred Hilder, horseback, 3 years, £38 per annum.
47. Grenfell, Morangarell, and Temora, via Moonbucca and Narraburra, once a week—James Simpson, horseback, 3 years, £90 per annum.
48. Railway Station and Post-office, Orange, six or more times a week—William Walsh, one-horse spring-cart, 3 years, £59 10s per annum.
49. Orange, March, Irvinstone, Shepherd's Creek, Farnham, Ironbarks, Black Rock, Wellington, and Montefiores, three times a week; and Orange, Molong, Rexcourt, Black Rock, Wellington, and Montefiores, three times a week—Not yet decided.
50. Forbes, Bedgerebong, Monwonga, Borambil, and Condobolin, three times a week—Line readvertised.
51. Line withdrawn.
52. Forbes and Marsden's, via Bundaburra and the Gap, twice a week—Edmund Maher, horseback, 3 years, £90 per annum.
53. Molong, Farnham, and Ironbarks, three times a week—To be readvertised.
54. Molong, Cumnock, Goodrich, and Obley, three times a week,—Alfred T. Coomber, 2-horse coach, 3 years, £210 per annum.
55. Line withdrawn.
56. Obley and Dubbo, via Wambangalang, The Springs, and The Meadows, once a week—George Cooper, 1 year, £57.
57. Wellington, Kaiser, Lincoln, Goolma, and Gulgong, via the Crossing over Reedy Creek, twice a week—Michael Guinan, waggonette, 3 years, £140 per annum.
58. Wellington, Montefiores, Maryvale, Eschol, and Dubbo, six times a week—Not yet decided.
59. Dubbo, Timbriebungie, Warren, Cannonbar, Willeroon, Gongolgon, and Bourke, twice a week—Not yet decided.
60. Warren, Mount Harris, and Carinda, via Willary, twice a week—John A. M'Namara, horseback, 3 years, £190 per annum.
61. Warren and Tenandra, once a week—William H. Dean, horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
62. Brewarrina and Enngonia, via the Horse and Jockey Hotel (Biree), Biree Station, Cocklerina, Kinibri, Colless's, Corella, Linapper, Colless's Springs, and Shearer's Gazari Station, once a week—Erastus Morcom, 3 years, £115 per annum.
63. Brewarrina, Goodooga, and Brenda, via Moorabilla, Bundabulla, Willah, Muckerawah, Bumble, and Bree Police-station, once a week—Patrick Gilmartin, 3 years, £115 per annum.
64. Bourke and Hungerford, via Ford's Bridge, Yantabulla-bulla, and Brindingabba, once a week—William Sutherland, 3 years, £180 per annum, provided service is performed by coach.
65. Parkes and Bulgandramine, via Ginnaunguy and Coradgery, twice a week—Denis M'Auliffe, horseback, 1 year, £94.
66. Parkes and Condobolin, via Watkin's, Gunning Bland Head Station, Bogan Gate, Old Gunning Bland, and Burrawang, once a week—James Smith, coach or horseback, 3 years, £125 per annum, conditionally.
67. Walgett and Carinda, via Kidgear, Polly Brewan, Bogewong, and Warren Downs, once a week—John M'Donald, horseback, 3 years, £94 per annum.
68. Black Rock and Red Hill, three times a week—John P. Smith, 1 year, £45. (Contract to terminate at one month's notice on either side.)
69. Forbes and Parkes, three times a week—Peter Dogger, 2 or 3 horse-coach, 3 years, £87 per annum.

SOUTHERN ROADS.

1. Canterbury and Belmore, three times a week—James Milner, horseback, 3 years, £14 per annum.
2. Homebush and Druitt Town, six times a week—Albert Allen, horseback, 1 year, £35.
3. Railway Station, Campbelltown, and Post-offices Campbelltown, Narellan, and Camden, twelve times a week—James Waterworth, 4-wheeled vehicle, 2 or more horses, 3 years, £70 per annum.
4. Railway Station and Post-office, Campbelltown, five times or oftener daily—James Waterworth, 3 years, £30 per annum, but contract may terminate on either party giving one month's notice.
5. Railway Station, Campbelltown, and Post-offices Campbelltown, Appin, Bulli, Woonona, and Wollongong, six times a week—Joseph Atkinson, 3-horse coach, 3 years, £315 per annum.
6. Line withdrawn.
7. Wollongong, Fig-tree, Charcoal Creek, Dapto, Albion Park, Shellharbour, and Kiama, six times a week—William Jones, 3-horse coach, 3 years, £197 per annum.
8. Kiama, Gerringong, and Broughton's Creek, six times a week—Christian Kunkler, sen., horseback, 3 years, £118 per annum.
9. Picton Railway Station, and Post-office, Picton, two or three times daily—Francis Gray, horseback, 3 years, £15 per annum.
10. Picton and Bargo, twice a week—Francis Gray, horseback, 3 years, £18 per annum.
11. Picton and Oaks, six times a week—Francis Gray, horseback, 3 years, £30 per annum.
12. Burragorang and Cox's River, three times a week—Patrick J. O'Reilly, horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
13. Mittagong and Joadja Creek, twice a week—William Napier, horseback, 1 year, £30.
14. Sutton Forest and Cross Roads, four times a week—Thomas Nye, horseback, 1 year, £19 10s.
15. Kangaroo Valley and Wattamolla, twice a week—Adam Ulrick, horseback, 3 years, £20 per annum.
16. Nowra and Burrier, twice a week—Joseph Mulley, horseback, 3 years, £24 per annum.
17. Line withdrawn.
18. Goulburn, Tarago, Boro, Manar, and Braidwood, six times a week—Tenders declined.
19. Braidwood, Bell's Creek, Araluen, Mullenderee, and Moruya, six times a week; with a branch mail to and from Braidwood and Reidsdale, twice a week. Tenders declined.
20. Goulburn, Tarago, Boro, Manar, Braidwood, Bell's Creek, Araluen, Mullenderee, and Moruya, six times a week; with a branch mail to and from Braidwood and Reidsdale, twice a week—John Kingsland and Owen Malone, 4-wheeled conveyance, 2 or more horses, 3 years, £900 per annum.
21. Moruya, Bergalia, Turlinjah, Bodalla, Eurobodalla, Cobargo, Dry River, Brogo, and Bega, six times a week—Patrick Browne, 2-horse coach, 3 years, £545 per annum.
22. Goulburn, Tarago, Boro, Manar, Braidwood, Bell's Creek, Araluen, Mullenderee, Moruya, Bergalia, Turlinjah, Bodalla, Eurobodalla, Cobargo, Dry River, Brogo, and Bega, six times a week, with a branch mail twice a week to and from Braidwood and Reidsdale. Tender declined.
23. Goulburn and Middle Arm, twice a week—John Millane, jun., horseback, 3 years, £55 per annum.
24. Goulburn, Tarlo, Myrtleville, and Taralgar, via Chatsbury, three times a week—Patrick Confoy, jun., 4-wheeled coach or vehicle, 3 years, £120 per annum.
25. Laggan and Peelwood, three times a week; and Peelwood and Tuena, twice a week—James S. Morgan, horseback, 3 years, £180 per annum.
26. Laggan and Fullerton, twice a week—William Ritchie, sen., horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
27. Binda, Biggs, and Reid's Flat, via Markdale, twice a week—Samuel Blackman, jun., horseback, 3 years, £100 per annum.
28. Biggs, Greenmantle, and Lyndhurst, once a week—George Sidley, horseback, 1 year, £55.
29. Line withdrawn.
30. Wheeo, Narrawa, Reid's Flat, Graham, and Cowra, once a week (contractor to travel from Graham to Cowra, via Harris', Bennett's Springs, returning to Graham, via Darby's Falls)—Bernard M'Sorley, 1 year, £117 10s.
31. Wheeo and Dalton, twice a week—John M'Sorley, horseback, 3 years, £34 10s per annum.
32. Boro and Mayfield, twice a week—Patrick Griffin, 1 year, £10, conditionally.
33. Queanbeyan, Lanyon, and Cuppacumbalong, three times a week—William G. O'Neill, jun., horseback, or 4-wheeled vehicle, 3 years, £39 10s per annum.
34. Cooma, Rock Flat, Nimitybelle, Bibbenluke, and Bombala, four times a week—John Malone, 3 years, £700 per annum, provided service is performed by coach.
35. Cooma, Dry Plain, Adaminaby, and Kiandra, via Dalryman's Plains, Wambrook, Queengallery, and Bolera, once a week—Robert H. Hughes, pack-horse, 3 years, £125 per annum.
36. Cooma, Adaminaby, Russell's, and Kiandra, via Middling Bank, once a week—Robert H. Hughes, horseback, 3 years, £120 per annum.
37. Nimitybelle, Brown Mountain, Numbugga, and Bega, via Benbooka Station, once a week—Michael Maher, horseback, 1 year, £60.
38. Bombala, Craigie, and Delegate, once a week; Bombala and Delegate, twice a week; and Bombala and Mila, via Mahratta, once a week—John Kennedy, horseback, 3 years, £98 per annum.
39. Bombala, Cathcart, Rocky Hall, and Pambula, twice a week—Robert Turbet, horseback, 3 years, £118 per annum.
40. Bobundarah, Duke's Springs, and Bombala, via Gunningrah and Buckalong, once a week—Charles J. Dudley, horseback, 3 years, £94 per annum.
41. Candelo, Kameruka, and Brown Mountain, via Beenbooka Station, once a week—William Moran, horseback, 1 year, £39.
42. Braidwood and Nelligen, twice a week—Joseph Gregory, 4 wheeled vehicle, 1 or more horses, 3 years, £85 per annum.
43. Braidwood, Jembaicumbene, and Major's Creek, three times a week—Patrick Cahill, buggy or horseback, 3 years, £33 10s per annum.
44. Line withdrawn.
45. Cobargo and Wandella, twice a week—David Dunsmore, horseback, 1 year, £16.
46. Bega, Wolumla, Merimbula, Pambula, and Eden, twice a week—Michael Flood, horseback, 1 or 3 years, £79 per annum.
47. Bega, Kameruka, and Candelo, twice a week—Michael Flood, horseback, 1 year, £32.
48. Bega and Tanja, once a week—Horace A. Braine, horseback, 1 year, £16.
49. Taralga and Golspie, twice a week—Jeremiah G. Webster, horseback, 3 years, £38 10s per annum.
50. Breadalbane and Gurrundah, once a week—Stewart Neale, horseback, 1 year, £15 10s.
51. Railway Station, Gunning, and Post-office, Gunning, seven times a week—Francis J. Lawless, horseback, 3 years, £30 per annum.
52. Railway Station, Gunning, Post-office, Gunning Receiving-office, Bellmount Forest, and Post-office, Lower Gundaroo, six times a week; and Lower Gundaroo, Upper Gundaroo, Ginninderra, Canberra, and Queanbeyan, three times a week—To be re-advertised.
53. Railway Station, Gunning Post-office, Gunning, Receiving-office, Bellmount Forest, and Post-offices Lower Gundaroo, Upper Gundaroo, Ginninderra, Canberra, and Queanbeyan, three times a week—To be re-advertised.
54. Railway Station, Gunning, Post-office Gunning, Receiving-office, Belmount Forest and Post-office, Lower Gundaroo, three times a week—To be re-advertised.
55. Lower Gundaroo, Upper Gundaroo, Sutton, and Queanbeyan, once a week—To be re-advertised.
56. Gunning and Dalton, twice a week—Stephen Toohey, horseback, 1 year, £22.
57. Dalton and Blakney Creek (Mr Roche's), via Byrneville, once a week—Stephen Toohey, horseback, 1 year, £15.
58. Yass, Murrumbateman, Greenfield Farm, Lower Gundaroo, and Upper Gundaroo, via Nanima Station (to travel alternately, if required, by Nanima and by Yass River routes), twice a week—Alexander Dyce, horseback, 3 years, £70 per annum.
59. Yass and Greenfield Farm, once a week—To be re-advertised.
60. Bowning and Bookham, three times a week—John H. Vicq, horseback, 1 year, £80.
61. Railway Station, Cootamundra and Post-offices Cootamundra, Coolac, Gundagai, South Gundagai, Adelong Crossing-place, Hillas Creek, and Tarcutta, six times a week—Not yet decided.
62. Tarcutta, Kyamba, Little Billabong, Garryowen, and Germanton, three times a week—Cobb and Co., 2 or 4 horse coach, 3 years, £560 per annum, conditionally. (Contract to terminate on opening of any portion of the railway between Wagga Wagga and Albury, should it be considered necessary.)
63. Coolac and Jugiong, three times a week—John Lloyd, horseback, 1 year, £70.
64. Gundagai, Nangus, and Clarendon, via Kimo, Tenandra, and Wantabadgery, twice a week—William H. Jenkins, horseback, 1 year, £70.
65. Clarendon and Wagga Wagga, via Oura and Eunonyhareenyha, twice a week—Henry M'Glede, horseback, 1 year, £80.
66. Adelong and Mount Adrah, once a week—Philip O'Dwyer, 1 year, £26.
67. Tumut and Brungle, twice a week—William Eggelton, horseback, 3 years, £30 per annum.
68. Morangarell and Wyalong, via Tarangalay and Barmedman, once a week—James Marshall and Michael J. Dacey, horseback, 1 or 3 years, £30 per annum.
69. Line withdrawn.
70. Junee Railway Station, Junee, the Reefs, and Sebastopol, via Ervinvale, once a week—George Dobbyns, horseback, 1 year, £48.
71. Junee Railway Station and Junee, once a week—George Dobbyns, horseback, 1 year, £22.
72. Line withdrawn.
73. Wagga Wagga, South Wagga Railway Station, Urana, Jerelderie, Coree, Conargo, and Deniliquin, via Broogong, four times a week—Not yet decided.
74. Wagga Wagga and Narrandera, three times a week; and Narrandera, Darlington Point, and Hay, via Angel's Station, twice a week—Allen Lakeman and Peter Halbish, coach 4 horse, 3 years, £965 per annum.
75. Line withdrawn.
76. Line withdrawn.
77. Urana, Colombo Creek, and Narrandera, via Urana Station Coonong, Widgiewa, Yarrabee, Cundle Township, and Gillenbar, twice a week—Not yet decided.
78. Narrandera and Rankin's Springs, via Medium, Mumbledoon, Barellan, North Gogeldra, Binya, Ballandra, and Coonapairs, once a week; and Rankin's Springs and Lake Cudgellico, once a week—Not yet decided.
79. Rankin's Springs and Wollongough, via Euratha, Malonga, Nariah, Willendray, Balygalman, and Merringham, once a week—William Budd, horseback, 3 years, £130 per annum.
80. Hay, Maude, Oxley, and Balranald, once a week; and Hay, Maude, Oxley, and Balranald, via Gilam, once a week—Daniel Murphy, 2 or 3 horse coach or horseback, 3 years, £450 per annum.
81. Hay and Booligal, twice a week—Patrick Townsell, coach, 2 or more horses, 3 years, £390 per annum.
82. Moama and Perricoota (Thompson's), six times a week; and Perricoota and Roger's, Womboota, once a week, with a branch mail to and from Moama and F. Edwards's, Womboota, via R. Varcoe's, Caloola, once a week—A. W. Robertson and John Wagner, buggy, 3 years, £240 per annum.
83. Balranald, Tooleybuc, and Swan Hill, twice a week—Gilbert J. W. Heathcote, waggonette, 2 or 3 horses, 3 years, £180 per annum.
84. Balranald and Ivanhoe, via Darling Block D, Hatfield Hotel, Til Til, Clare, and Kilfera Station, once a week, with a branch mail to and from Clare and Manfred, once a week—To be re-advertised.
85. Booligal, Mossgiel, Ivanhoe, and Wilcannia, twice a week—Michael Charters, coach, 2 or more horses, 3 years, £1350 per annum.
86. Wentworth, Pooncarie, Menindie, and Wilcannia, once a week Zachariah and Solomon Burton, coach, 3 years, £1550 per annum.
87. Wilcannia, Gnalta, and Mount Gipps, via Sturt's Meadows and Poolamacca, once a week—Not yet decided.
88. Jerelderie, Argoon, and Darlington Point, twice a week—Phillip Davidson, horseback, 1 year, £119 10s.
89. Jerelderie and Colombo Creek, via Yanko Creek, and Bundure Head Station, twice a week—Thomas J. Kennedy, horseback, 3 years, £110 per annum.
90. Tarcutta and Wagga Wagga, three times a week—Not yet decided.
91. Germanton and Yarrara, twice a week—James Crichton, horseback, 3 years, £60 per annum. (Contract to terminate on opening of any portion of the railway between Wagga Wagga and Albury, should it be considered necessary.)
92. Little Billabong, Carabost, and Tumberumba, three times a week—Cobb and Co., coach, 3 years, £235 per annum. (Contract to terminate on opening of any portion of the railway between Wagga Wagga and Albury, should it be considered necessary.)
93. Goombargona and Carnsdale, once a week—Francis H. Drew, horseback, 3 years, £35 per annum.
94. Corowa and Wahgunyah, twelve times a week. (Contractor to provide proper means for crossing the River Murray when the bridge is flooded)—Not yet decided.
95. Dight's Forest, Ebenezer, and Walla Walla Station, twice a week—Walter Wooltersdorff, horseback, 3 years, £60 per annum (conditionally).
96. Wollongong Post-office and the Bateman's Bay, Merimbula, Sydney, or other steamers as may be required on arrival at and departure from Wollongong—No tenders received.
97. Bateman's Bay, Mogo, Mullenderree, and Moruya, twice week; and from Bateman's Bay to Mogo, Mullenderree, and Moruya, once a week. (It is clearly understood that the mails shall leave Bateman's Bay immediately after the arrival there of the steamer from Sydney, and shall leave Moruya in time to meet the steamer leaving Bateman's Bay for Sydney, the contractor finding adequate means for both requirements)—Edmond Corrigan, 3 years, £45 per annum.
98. Nelligen, Bateman's Bay, and Milton, via Woodburn, once a week—Enoch B. Hammond, horseback, 1 year, £45.
99. Eden and Towamba, once a week—Donald Laing, 3 years, £20 per annum.
100. Jerri Jerri, Cookardinia, Morven, Gerogery, and Albury, via Mangoplah, three times a week—Cobb and Co., 2 or 4 horse coach, £485 per annum. (Contract to terminate on opening of any portion of the railway between Wagga Wagga and Albury, should it be considered necessary.)
101. Wagga Wagga, South Wagga Railway Station, Jerri Jerri, Germanton Woomagama, Mullengandra, Bowna, Thurgoona, and Albury, seven times a week—Cobb and Co., 4 horse coach, £3450 per annum. (Contracts to terminate on opening of any portion of the railway between Wagga Wagga and Albury, should it be considered necessary.)
102. Tomerong and Huskisson, twice a week—James Tyrrel, 1 year, £26.
103. Wagga Wagga and Brucedale, twice a week—William Oliver, horseback, 1 year, £25.
104. South Gundagai and the Snowball Receiving Office, three times a week—James Edwards, horseback, 1 year, £80.
105. Camden and Mount Hunter Creek, three times a week—Thomas Dawson, horseback, 1 year, £40.
106. Gnalta and Mount Poole, via Noontharingie, Wonominta, Mordern, Cobham Lake, Coelly, and Sturt's Depot Glen, once a week—not yet decided.
107. Ballalaba and Fairfield, via Jerrabat Gully, once a week—James Monahan, horseback, 1 year, £35.
108. From Cootamundra to Temora, via Dacey's, Davidson's Station, Geraldra, Telford's Grogan's Station, and Keane's Narraburrah Station, returning to Cootamundra via Gundibendal North, Commin's of Combaning, and O'Brien's Gundabingle Station, twice a week—Michael Culhane, horseback, 1 year, £100.
109. Woore and Pejar, once a week—Thomas Mortimer, horseback, 1 year, £15.

NORTHERN ROADS.

1. Newcastle and Stockton, six or more times a week—William H. Rinker, 1 year, £26.
2. Charlestown and Higham Road, three times a week. To be readvertised.
3. Charlestown, Belmont, and Catherine Hill Bay, via Lake Macquarie Heads, twice a week. To be readvertised.
4. Hexham Railway Station and Raymond Terrace, seven times a week—Charles M'Intyre, 4-wheeled coach, 2 or more horses, 1 year, £99.
5. Raymond Terrace and Nelson's Plains, six times a week—George W. Murray, horseback, 1 year, £96.
6. Gloucester, Barrington, and Copeland North, four times a week. To be readvertised.
7. Copeland North and Copeland South, three times a week. To be readvertised.
8. Gloucester and Rawdon Vale, via Berrico, twice a week—Lauchlie M'Intyre, horseback, 3 years, £34 per annum.
9. Bulahdelah, Upper Myall, Firefly Creek, Cape Hawke (Clarkin's Crossing-place), Tinonee and Taree, via Bunyah Station and Waterloo, once a week—Patrick O'Neill, horseback, 3 years, £60 per annum.
10. Bulahdelah and Hawke's Nest, once a week—Patrick O'Neill, horseback, 3 years, £39 0s per annum.
11. Tinonee, Wingham, and Dingo Creek, three times a week; and Dingo Creek and Marlee, twice a week—Alfred Tetlett, horseback, 3 years, £68 per annum.
12. Wingham and Woodside, Upper Manning, twice a week—Alexander M'Gilvray, horseback, 2 years, £42 per annum.
13. Cundletown and Landsdown, twice a week—Benjamin Saville, horseback, 3 years, £38 per annum.
14. Camden Haven Punt, Camden Haven, and Laurieton, twice a week—Michael Fagan, horseback, 3 years, £22 per annum.
15. Port Macquarie, Huntingdon, and the junction of the Ellenborough and Hastings Rivers, twice a week—Wright Hampson, horseback, 3 years, £79 per annum.
16. Port Macquarie and Ennis, via Fernbank Creek, twice a week Edward M'Inherney, horseback, 1 year, £12 10s per annum.
17. Ellenborough, Yarras, and Walcha, via Lahey, Yarrowitch, Lla Liara, Waterloo, Europambola, and Ohio, once a week—Wright Hampson, 3 years, £160 per annum.
18. West Kempsey and Ingliston, once a week—James S. Ducat, horseback, 3 years, £16 per annum.
19. Summer Island and Rainbow Reach, twice a week—Samuel Elliott, 1 year, £20.
20. Hexham and Minmi, six times a week—John M'Gill, horseback, 2 years, £60 per annum, conditionally.
21. Line withdrawn.
22. West Maitland, Aberglasslyn, Rosebrook, Lamb's Creek, and Elderslie, calling at Hillsborough, Irishtown, and Stanhope, twice a week—William Tierney, horseback, 3 years, £55 per annum.
23. Morpeth and Miller's Forest Post-offices (or one mile beyond the present site of Miller's Forest Post-office, in case of the removal of that office), six times a week—Henry S. Carpenter, horseback, 1 year, £75.
24. Hinton, Seaham, Clarence Town, Brookfield, Newpark, and Dungog, three times a week. (If floods prevent the mails being conveyed between Hinton and Seaham, contractor must travel via West Maitland and the Belmore and Dunmore Bridges.)—Stephen Fitzgerald, 4-wheeled coach, 3 or more horses, 1 year, £70.
25. Clarence Town and Glen William, three times a week—George Ford, horseback, 1 year, £14.
26. Dungog and Monkerai, once a week—William Moore, horseback, 3 years, £14 10s per annum.
27. Monkerai and Langworthy's, once a week—William Moore, horseback, 3 years, £13 per annum.
28. Branxton, Rothbury, and Pokolbin, three times a week—William E. Hughes, horseback, 3 years, £35 per annum.
29. Branxton and Elderslie, twice a week—William Tierney, horseback, 3 years, £25 per annum.
30. Railway Station and Post-office Lochinvar, thirteen or more times a week—Patrick Greahy, waggonette, 1 horse, 1 year, £45.
31. Railway Station and Post-office, Singleton, fourteen or more times a week—Richard Sarlson, 'bus, 3 years, £25 per annum.
32. Warkworth and The Bulga, three times a week—Thomas M'Knight, horseback, 1 year, £28.
33. Muswellbrook and Kayuga, three times a week—Henry Guy, horseback, 1 year, £16.
34. Kerrabee and Wollar, via Bylong, twice a week—Nathan P. Meyers, horseback, 3 years, £65 per annum.
35. Cassilis, Turee, and Coolah, twice a week—Donald Albert, horseback, 1 year, £70.
36. Cassilis and Wollar, once a week—James Lennox, horseback, 3 years, £50 per annum.
37. Coolah, Tambar Springs, and Gunnedah, twice a week. (Contractor to travel once a week via Limekiln (Thomson's), Wondobah, Mellaley, Bando, &c., and once a week via Black Jack, Basin Plain, Mellaley, Bando, &c.)—Not yet decided.
38. Denison Town, Bolaro, and Cobbora, twice a week—William Latimer, horseback, 1 year, £50.
39. Scone, Gundy, and Moonan Brook, twice a week—William Harper, horseback, 3 years, £75 per annum.
40. Scone and Woodlands, via Margin's and Thornthwaite, once a week—William Harper, horseback, 3 years, £20 per annum.
41. Railway Station, Murrurundi, and Post-offices Haydonton and Murrurundi, twice a day—Henry Hall, horseback, 3 years, £38 10s per annum.
42. Railway Station and Post-office Quirindi, twelve or more times a week—Denis John Hogan, horseback, 1 year, £9.
43. Quirindi and Wallabadah, via Quirindi Station and main road, six times a week—Denis John Hogan, horseback, 1 year, £38 17s.
44. Quirindi, Warrah Ridge, Pine Ridge, and Colly Blue, via Mooki Springs, Kickerbil, and Webland, twice a week—Alfred Constable, horseback, 1 year, £79.
45. Railway Station and Post-office, Gunnedah, seven or more times a week—Not yet decided.
46. Gunnedah, Boggabri, and Narrabri, three times a week—Not yet decided.
47. Gunnedah, Boggabri, and Narrabri, six times a week—Not yet decided.
48. Narrabri, Wee Waa, Pilliga, and Walgett, three times a week—Not yet decided.
49. Gunnedah, Borgabri, and Narrabri, six times a week; and Narrabri, Wee Waa, Pilliga, and Walgett, three times a week—Not yet decided.
50. Boggabri and Barraba, via Guest's, Chamberland's, Wolfe's, Clifford's, Carter's, Douse's, Harvey's, Eather's, Billeyena, Cox's Station, Fitzgerald's, Leard's, Goldman's, Barreny, Coolah Station (Lloyd's), and Burinda Station (St. Clair's), once a week—Lorenzo Hynes Halloran, horseback, 3 years, £90 per annum.
51. Wee Waa and Barradine, via Cogbill, Cubbie, Yuligle, Cumble, Upper Cumble, and Gibbean, once a week—John Facer, horseback, 3 years, £84 per annum.
52. Walgett, Brewarrina, and Bourke, via Moorable (to travel once a week on north side of the river, via Milrea, Booroomа, Ulah, and Gingi), twice a week—To be re-advertised.
53. Walgett, Mogil Mogil, and Mungindi, via Collarenebri and Barrington, once or twice a week—To be re-advertised.
54. Millie and Mogil Mogil, via Bunna Bunna, Munyga, Oriel, Buleori, Colleytuldula, Merriwynebone, Pockataroo, Collimungle, and Werribilli. (Contractor to travel by the following route if required, viz., via Bunna Bunna, Buleori, Oriel, Munyga, Burrundoon, Collimungle, and Werribilli), once a week—Robert John Nowland, 2 or more horse coach, 3 years, £130 per annum, conditionally.
55. Moree, Pallamallawa, and Warialda, via Boolooroo, and Mungie Bundie (M'Donald's New Head Station), twice a week—James R. Nowland, horseback, and 2-horse buggy when practicable, 3 years, £180 per annum.
56. Line withdrawn.
57. Kunopia and Goondawindi, once a week—John Newlands, 1 year, £64 16s.
58. Line withdrawn.
59. Currabubula and Goonoo Goonoo, six times a week (contractor to carry out a service to and from the proposed Railway Platform, at 171 miles north (North Currabubula) and Goonoo Goonoo, if required)—Thomas Blevin, horseback, 1 year, £70.
60. Tamworth, Attunga, Manilla, Upper Manilla, Barraba, Cobbadah, Bingera, and Warialda, via Barker's North Bingera, three times a week—George Wilkinson and Abraham L. Bowden, 2 or 4 horse coach, 3 years, £1285 per annum.
61. Tamworth and Moor Creek, twice a week—John T. Bayley, horseback, 1 year, £40.
62. Tamworth, Somerton, Bindle, Carroll, and Gunnedah, twice a week—Not yet decided.
63. Tamworth, Moonbi, Bendemeer, Carlisle Gully, Uralla, and Armidale, six times a week—Not yet decided.
64. Barraba, Cobbadah, Eulourie, and Moree, via Crawley's Station, Currangandi, Ulienbarella, Rocky Creek, Terri-hi-hi, and Tieanna, once a week—Alfred Skinner, horseback, 3 years, £100 per annum.
65. Bingera and Bundarra, via Coorangoora, Keira, Beverley, and Long Reach, once a week—William Hobson, jun., 1 year, £78.
66. Bendemeer, Kingstown, Bundarra, Stanborough, and Inverell, via Carlisle Gully, three times a week—Not yet decided.
67. Stanborough and Tingha, three times a week—William Osborne, horseback, 1 year, £40.
68. Inverell and Warialda, via Bannockburn, Piersby Hall, Reedy Creek, Gragin, and Myalla, twice a week—Abraham Bowden, horseback, 1 year, £118.
69. Inverell, Bukkulla, Ashford, and Bonshaw, via Byron and Edgerton, twice a week—Thomas Parkinson, horseback, 3 years, £149 per annum.
70. Bonshaw and Tenterfield, via Clifton Station, Mole Station, and the south side of the Severn River, twice a week—Andrew Seaf, horseback, 1 year, £130.
71. Armidale and Uralla, once a week; and Uralla, Salisbury Plains, and Walcha, twice a week—William N. Stevenson, 2 or more horse coach, 3 years, £34 per annum.
72. Armidale, The Pinch, Guyra, and Glen Innes, via Ben Lomond, six times a week—Not yet decided.
73. Armidale, Wollomombi, and Kempsey, via Hill-grove, Giogla, Long Flat, Towel Creek, Peedre Creek, Nulla Nulla, and Toorookoo, once a week—John Barrie, horseback, 1 year, £95.
74. Wollomombi and Kempsey, via Giogla, Long Flat, Towel Creek, Peedre Creek, Nulla Nulla, and Toorookoo, once a week. In time of flood contractor must travel to and from Armidale—No tender accepted. Vide 73.
75. Uralla and Rocky River, three times a week—John Carroll, horseback, 3 years, £18 per annum.
76. Glen Innes, Dundee, Deepwater, and Tenterfield, six times a week—Not yet decided.
77. Tenterfield, Willson's Downfall, Amosfield, and Maryland, three or six times a week—Not yet decided.
78. Glen Innes, Clarevaulx, and Wellingrove, twice a week; and Wellingrove, Swanbrook, and Inverell, via King's Plains, Vever's Sheep Station, Nullamana, A. M'Leod's, and Brown's, once a week; and Wellingrove, Swanbrook, and Inverell, via Waterloo, once a week—Patrick Wade, horseback, 3 years, £145 per annum.
79. Glen Innes, Bald Nob, Dalmorton, South Grafton, and Grafton, via Shambigne, Buccarimbi, Broad Meadows, Newton Boyd, and the Big Hill, twice a week—Line to be re-advertized.
80. Glen Innes and Red Range, once a week—Thomas Lewis Bullard, horseback, 1 year, £20.
81. Deepwater, Tableland, and Silent Grove, via Nine-mile, once a week—Daniel Romer, 1 year, £40.
82. Wellingrove and Vegetable Creek, via Strathbogie, once a week—William Judge, 3 years, £44 per annum.
83. Vegetable Creek and the Gulf, once a week—James Devlin, horseback, 1 year, £60.
84. Tabulam and Tooloom, once a week—Alfred Taylor, horseback, 3 years, £45 per annum.
85. Clarence River Steamers, and Post-office Iluka, as required to meet steamers that arrive and depart or that pass up and down the river; and Post-offices, Iluka and Clarence River Heads, twice a week—John Rush, 1 year, £70.
86. Grafton and Southgate, twice a week—John J. Corcoran, pack-horse, 1 year, £22 10s.
87. Casino and Tabulam, via Wooroowoolgin, Dyraaba, and Sandiland, once a week—William Ross, jun., horseback, 3 years, £58 per annum.
88. Casino and Unumgar (Sherwood's Station), once a week—John D. O'Kelly, horseback, 3 years, £40 per annum.
89. Harwood Island and Chatsworth Island, on the days that the Grafton steamers from Sydney arrive at Harwood Island—To be advertised.
90. Brush Grove and Broadmouth Creek, twice a week—John Davidson, horseback, 3 years, £17 18s per annum.
91. Railway Station, High-street, and the Post-office, West Maitland, six or more times a day, as required—Stephen Fitzgerald, one-horse van, 3 years, £45 per annum.
92. Walgett, Currawillinghi, Yarrambah, Goodooga, and Brenda (Tate's Station, Culgoa River) via "Gideon's Inn," Forrester's, on the Barwon and Narran River, and Thorold's on Bokhara River (contractor to travel between Currawillinghi and Goodooga, on the south side of the Bokira and Biree Rivers via the "Finger Post Inn" and Doyle's Station), once a week—Robert John Nowland, 2 or more horse coach or pack horse, 3 years, £165 per annum.
93. Mogil Mogil and Goodooga, via Bagot's, Brown's, Medlicott's, Moongulla, Pinegobla, Yarrambah, Angledool, and Currawillinghi, once a week—Michael Reddon, 3 years, £129 per annum (conditionally).
94. Cassilis and Turee Creek, via the surveyed line, near Rouherwood, once a week—James Stevenson, horseback, 1 year, £19.

SUBURBAN ROAD.

1. Circular Quay, Sydney, and Post-offices Watson's Bay, twice a day.—To be re-advertised.
2. General Post Office, Sydney, and Wharfs, on arrival and departure of English Mails—Tenders declined.

SAUL SAMUEL.

The Treasury, New South Wales, 21st October, 1879.

TENDERS FOR ALMANACS AND DIARIES.

TENDERS will be received at this office, until noon of TUESDAY, the 4th November, 1879, from persons willing to supply (as required) for the Public Service, during the year 1880:—

Book Almanacs.
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The Treasury, New South Wales, 15th September, 1879.

[In substitution for Notice in GAZETTE of the 12th instant.]

CONTRACT FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE.—FIRE-PROOF SAFES.—TENDERS will be received at this office, until noon of TUESDAY, the 4th November, 1879, from persons willing to supply Fire-proof SAFES, for the public service, during the year 1880.

Safes of various sizes will be required, and tenderers must state the price according to measurement, with or without drawers, fittings, &c., and also the makers' names.

Printed forms of tender (or any information regarding the contract) can be obtained from the Superintendent of Stores, Circular Quay.

No tender will be entertained unless accompanied by a certificate from two responsible persons, stating that they are willing to become bound as sureties in the sum specified in the conditions of contract, for the due fulfilment thereof.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

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Tenders to be addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Fire-proof Safes."

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Department of Works, Roads Branch, Sydney, October 22, 1879.

TENDERS.—Attention is directed to GAZETTE Notice inviting Tenders for undermentioned works, viz.:—

	Time for Receipt of Tenders.
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Goulburn	25 3	16 9	Wallerawang	19 9	13 3
Yass	32 9	21 9	Bathurst	27 3	18 3
Murrumburrah	38 0	25 3	Orange	33 6	22 3
Cootamundra	41 0	27 3			
Wagga Wagga	48 0	32 0			

At all other Stations than those above referred to Tickets TO SYDNEY at ordinary Excursion Rates will be issued DAILY from 1st November until further notice, available for return on day of issue only, for distances not exceeding 15 miles, and for seven days for distances over 15 miles.

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Coach passengers from Inland Towns, distant not less than 25 miles from any Railway Station, will be allowed the reduced Excursion Rates on any day on production of the Coach Proprietor's Certificate.

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, 22nd October, 1879.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on and after MONDAY, 20th instant, Tickets to Sydney will be issued at all stations at a quarter excursion fares to children under 12 years of age, and to all school pupils, without regard to the limit of age, visiting the Exhibition.

In the case of the latter, the production to the Station Master of a certificate from the Master or Mistress of the school will be necessary, as per accompanying form:—

" ———— is a pupil of my school, visiting the International Exhibition.
"Signed————
"Name and address of school————."

CHAS. A. GOODCHAP, Commissioner for Railways.

Department of Public Works, Railway Branch, Sydney, October 18, 1879.

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It is proposed to form a Company under the above title, for the purpose of mining for Coal upon the land of J. J. O. Atkinson, Esq., and for constructing a Railway from the mine to the Great Southern Railway at or near Moss Vale.

The capital of the Company is to be £18,000, in eighteen thousand shares of £1 each, to be apportioned as follows:—Six thousand (6000) shares to be considered fully paid up, and are to be given to the owners of the land, containing 276 acres freehold, and 12,000 shares are offered to the public upon the following terms:—One shilling per share upon application and one shilling per share afterwards, at intervals not less than one month as the works progress.

The coal-seam proposed to be worked is of considerable thickness, between the first band and the floor-line being about four feet six inches, and below this there is another upwards of twelve feet in thickness. The seam can be worked by adits, as it is situated at the foot of a perpendicular cliff, to the edge of which a railway can be constructed without difficulty, and the trucks can be loaded direct from the hoist.

The branch railway presents no engineering difficulties, most of the way being all but a dead level; and it is proposed to use light steam-motors running upon a narrow gauge of about three feet.

The out-put for the first year is estimated at 30,000 tons, and the demand for coal will increase as soon as the Great Southern Railway reaches our colonial boundary. It is also anticipated that the Fitzroy Iron-works will use this coal, and their consumption will reach 10,000 tons annually.

The great importance of a seam of good coal within easy distance (eight miles) of the Great Southern Railway will be clear to everyone; and the value of this property is placed beyond doubt by the proved quality of the coal, and the small expense of bringing it to a market. The seam now opened lies horizontally and in an undisturbed bed, and contains the only good coal yet discovered near the Great Southern Railway. It can be delivered at the railway at a price which must command the entire southern trade, and at that price it will be so remunerative as to place this Company at the head of dividend-paying investments, for it is expected that the entire capital will be returned to shareholders within two or three years.

Shares to the number of 7000 (seven thousand) out of the 12,000 for sale are already bespoke, and so soon as three thousand (3000) more are applied for the Company will be declared formed, and work will commence at once. Shares will be allotted according to priority of application, which must be made to the Chairman of Provisional Directors, William Davies, Esq., or to the Honorary Secretary, J. J. O. Atkinson, Esq., Oldbury, Moss Vale, on or before the 30th day of October, 1879, in the form annexed.

Trials of this coal have been made on the railway, and the report of Mr. H. Westcott is appended.

"Sydney, July 5th, 1879.

"Mr. Atkinson,—Sir,—I beg to inform you the trial of the Berrima coal took place on the morning of the 2nd instant, the duration of which extended from Mittagong to Goulburn.

"The goods-train, consisting of twenty-four trucks, left Mittagong at 10.15 a.m., arriving at destination—Goulburn—at 3.[illegible] p.m., the time at which the train was due, having picked up the various trucks, &c., at the different stations during the run.

"As an experimental trip, I consider the coal a good burning coal, and some of the heavy gradients were overcome without any sign of inability, and the last bill nearest Goulburn, with an ascent of 1 in 45, was a signal proof of its steam-generating qualities, as with a little brisk firing the steam rose rapidly.

"The quantity of coal used was 37½ cwt. The ashes weighed at Goulburn when the fire and smoke-boxes were cleaned out was 5 cwt. 3 qrs. 2 lbs., and as the coal used was what might also be termed a surface coal, I have not the slightest doubt in pronouncing it a success.

"I may also mention there were some ashes taken out at Jordan's Siding, but as there were other heaps there, I presume that is an ordinary custom, as we remained there over a half-hour.

"I am, Sir, yours obediently,
"H. WESTCOTT, Engineer.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To the Secretary of the Provisional Directors of the Berrima Coal-Mining and Railway Company (Limited).

Gentlemen,—I have to request you will allot me ____ shares in the Berrima Coal Company (Limited), in accordance with the terms of prospectus. I now enclose £ ____ on account of the same, and I hereby agree to accept the same or any less number of shares that may be allotted to me, and to sign the Deed of Association and to pay all further calls when called upon to do so.

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THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. THOMAS MORRIS are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from the residence of his Son-in-law, Mr. H. L. Dunn, 110, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS AFTERNOON, at quarter before 3 o'clock, to Balmain Cemetery. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. H. L. DUNN are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his FATHER-IN-LAW, the late Mr. Thomas Morris; to move from his residence, 110, Forbes-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS AFTERNOON, quarter before 3 o'clock, to the Balmain Cemetery. WALTER STEWART.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. WILSON J. WILSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved DAUGHTER, Minnie C. C.; to move from his residence, 183, Dowling-street, Woolloomooloo, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 8 o'clock, to the Necropolis. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, Oxford-street, and 737, George-street South.

THE FRIENDS of the late Mr. HORATIO MARSHALL are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Rugby Arms Hotel, Botany-street, Surry Hills, on TUESDAY MORNING, at quarter to 9 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery. J. and G. SHYING and CO., Undertakers, 120, Oxford-street; and 719, George-street South.

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THE FRIENDS of Mr. FERDINAND A. TIGHE are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved FATHER, Mr. Patrick Tighe, to move from his late residence, Union Inn, Oxford-street, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, to the Catholic Cemetery, Waverley. C. KINSELA and SONS, 118, Oxford-st., and 737, George-st. S.

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HOME REGISTRY.—Wanted, two Friends or Sisters, as H. and P. Maid and Cook and Laundress.

JUNEE AND NARRANDERA RAILWAY.—Wanted, PICK and SHOVEL MEN, AXEMEN, &c., a Narrandera. Fishburn and Morton, contractors.

WANTED, respectable young Girl, as NURSE; to sleep at home preferred. 27, Pyrmont-street, Pyrmont.

WANTED, a Blacksmith's HELPER. T. Brown, Petersham.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply 2, Newtown Road, off Parramatta-street.

WANTED, a young person, for W. W. machine; also, an APPRENTICE. 155, Crown-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, indoor, MAN, good milker, groom, garden and useful. Dr. Sly, Eveleigh-street, Redfern.

WANTED, a young Man as RUNNER, one accustomed to boarding-house preferred. 245, Kent-street.

WANTED, Chinaman COOK for hotel, also Farming MEN. Glue's labour agency, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a BOY who can write well. J. Coleman, 155, Woolloomooloo-street.

WANTED, good COOK and LABOURERS, for Surveyor's Camp. Apply, after 10, 207, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a Girl, about 16, as NURSE. 496, Bourke-street, Surry Hills.

WANTED, respectable Girl, as General SERVANT. Bellevue, Erskineville Road, Newtown.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT, small family. Mona-terrace, Rushcutter Bay.

WANTED, a strong LAD, for wiring. J. Hawkins, Lemonade Factory, Newtown Road.

WANTED, KITCHEN MAN and HOUSEMAID. Temperance Hotel, Pitt-street.

WANTED, COOK and LAUNDRESS, also Housemaid. Mrs. Cary, Glenwood, Hereford-street, Glebe.

WANTED, General SERVANTS, also little GIRLS. Mrs. Whitehead's registry, 52, George-street West.

WANTED, a tidy GIRL, to help in housework, and sleep at home. Mrs. Berghoefer, 411, Pitt-street.

WANTED, a COOK and LAUNDRESS. Apply, between 9 and 11, 156, Alberto-terrace, Darlinghurst Road.

WANTED, young Girl, as House and Parlour MAID. Orielton, corner of Ocean and Albert streets, Woollahra.

WANTED, a young GIRL, assist in house work. 8, Rialto-terrace, Upper William-street South.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, to mind a baby. Welcome Inn Hotel, 242, Liverpool-street.

WANTED, young Girl, as House and Parlour Maid; refs. required. 2, Jessie-terrace, Upper William-street.

WANTED, a BOY, to work at boot finishing. Apply A. Turner, 105, Elizabeth-street.

WANTED, a respectable GIRL, about 14. Mrs. D. Smith, 76, King-street.

WANTED, a WAITER. Punch's Hotel.

WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Sydney and Newcastle Hotel, 107, Lower George-street.

WANTED, young GIRL, 13 or 14, to assist in housework. Our Boys Hotel, William-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a young Man, as PORTER. Victoria Café, 307, George-street.

WANTED, a young Man, as CARTER; also, a strong BOY, for the store. J. Beattie, 56, Clarence-street.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Mrs. M. Myers, 201, Devonshire-street, Surry Hills.

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WANTED, a good General SERVANT. Apply Friendship Hotel, Bathurst-street West.

WANTED, a strong LAD, to milk and drive. T. Johnson, George-street Markets.

WANTED, MEN, to get clay and shale, by the yard. Apply Cottle and Sons, brick works, Croydon.

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WANTED, 2 good QUARRYMEN. Apply to Geo. Mackay, ——'s Hotel, Missenden Road, Camperdown.

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WANTED, a BOY. J. Woodward, butcher, Foveaux-street, off Elizabeth-street.

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WANTED, a respectable Woman, as COOK. Frankfort House, 54, Bridge-street.

WANTED, an Errand BOY. 301, George-street.

WANTED, HOUSE and PARLOUR MAID. 2, Roslyn-terrace, Macleay-street.

WANTED, a COOK and LAUNDRESS. Mrs. Henry Myers, 240, Darlinghurst Road.

WANTED, young GIRL, light housework and assist with children. Mrs. Best, Point Piper Road, Woollahra.

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WANTED, a CARTER, accustomed to driving two horse Brick Cart. Goodlet and Smith, Parramatta-street.

WANTED, GIRL of 14, to assist in housework. No. 2, Gipps and Parker streets, Haymarket.

WANTED, a MAN, to look after a horse and vehicle and general useful. Packhorse Inn, Haymarket.

WANTED, a NURSEGIRL. Apply 461, Riley-street South. References required.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. 112, Buckinghamshire-street, Strawberry Hill.

WANTED, a strong, useful GIRL. Mrs. B. B. Nicoll, 294, Victoria-street, near William-street.

WANTED, a strong useful GIRL. No. 5, Ulster-terrace, Station-street, Newtown.

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WANTED, good POULTERER, also make himself useful in shop. Apply 85, King-street.

WANTED, a young Man, as GROOM and COACHMAN. Apply from 10 to 12, 2, Richmond-terrace, Domain.

WANTED, a General SERVANT. Apply 219, Sussex-street.

WANTED, respectable BOY. Apply Professor Stanich, this morning, at 9 a.m., 5, Wynyard-square.

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WANTED, for the country, a Farm LABOURER. Apply 9 a.m., 3, Globe Stores, Sussex-street.

WANTED, a LAD, for the bootmaking; one who can peg. 67, Hunter-street, near Macquarie-street.

WANTED, a young GIRL, to nurse and make herself useful. 197, Bourke-street, Woolloomooloo.

WANTED, a GIRL, about 15 or 16, to mind a baby. 64, Hunter-street.

WANTED, a respectable young Girl, as NURSE; sleep at home if preferred. 16, O'Connell-street.

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WANTED, a BARMAID, Nurse, and clean first-class Scullery-man. Johnson's Temperance Coffee Palace and Restaurant, York-street.

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WANTED, Billetwood SPLITTERS. Apply Tidswell Hotel, corner of King and George streets, this day, at 10 a.m.

WANTED, early in November, an experienced Parlourmaid. Apply to Mrs. Wrench, Caradon, Albert-street, Woollahra.

WANTED, a young MAN, as groom and coachman; single man preferred. Apply to the Gardener, at Mona, Darling Point, before 10 o'clock.

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WANTED, a respectable FEMALE, to take charge of three children. Apply 93, Aubrey-terrace, Cleveland-street, Darlington, between 9 and 12 o'clock.

WANTED, a young MAN, good writer, knows town well; draper preferred. S. S. Laundry, Crown and Stanley streets.

WANTED, 2 smart young WOMEN, with business experience; good writers. S. S. Laundry, Crown and Stanley streets.

WANTED, a Married COUPLE, to proceed to the Richmond River—man to be generally useful, wife as cook; must be Protestants, and have good references. G. and B. Nicoll, Grafton Wharf.

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A FURNISHED ROOM with verandah and use of kitchen. 466, Bourke-street, near Oxford-street.

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APARTMENTS.—Front balcony room vacant. Mrs. Cheers, 211, Macquarie-street, opposite Exhibition.

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